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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Autopsy on the Siamese Twins

PHILADELPHIA, Jan [illegible]—It is stated that physicians of the principal cities of the United States have combined to secure the bodies of the Siamese twins for autopsy at any price.

A Terrible Crime

NEW YORK, Jan 27—The former cook of the Steiner family, four members of which were burned to death with their house two weeks ago, has been arrested pending the inquest by the Coroner. The silver plate known to be in the house and jewelry belonging to the dead cannot be found since the fire, and murder and robbery are now insinuated in connection with the terrible affair.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Wilson's Bill for the Regulation of the U. P. R. R.

WASHINGTON, Jan 26—Representative Wilson of Indiana introduced a bill to-day in the House making it obligatory on the Union Pacific Railroad Company to receive from any of its branches any freight or passengers destined for any section on the line of that road or on the line of the Central Pacific railroad and to carry the same to its destination without unnecessary delay, and to charge therefor no more per mile than is charged per mile for freight or passengers carried by said Company over the entire length of its road. Any officers found to have violated this law are to be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction are to be fined not exceeding $1000, to which may be added imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months. Discriminations in favor of passengers or freight, are also to be punished in like manner. The bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Report on the Management of the Union Pacific Railroad.

WASHINGTON, Jan 26—J. F. Wilson and J. H. Millard, Government directors of the Union Pacific railroad, have made a report to the Secretary of the Interior in which they say that with proper management, especially in the freight department, they do not doubt that the gross earnings may in a short time increase to $12,000,000 per annum. When this point is reached it is not difficult to see that the road would be competent to protect the full interest which the Government has therein. The road is not an expensive one to operate. In this respect it can be kept below the average roads of the United States. After a careful investigation of the subject they do not hesitate to express their opinion that this financial result can be obtained within the next two years. The capabilities of the road are so great that they would not be understood as fixing $12,000,000 as its maximum receipts. They cannot too strongly urge that some means be advised for the localization of the executive power of the company. This once effected, a multitude of obstacles which now retard and obstruct the development of business throughout all the vast region of country over which the road extends, would disappear.

Luttrell's Coolie Bill.

The bill of Representative Luttrell of California to prohibit coolie servitude labor makes it a felony for any person to import coolie laborers or contract in this country to deliver them, and on conviction imposes a fine of not less than $1,000 nor more than $5,000 with imprisonment of one to three years. Persons bringing Chinese women to the United States, unless the latter come with their husbands or fathers, are to be subjected to the same penalties. Captains of vessels must furnish due proof of such relationship of the women.

Senator Mitchell Goes for Another Office.

WASHINGTON, Jan 26.—Senator Mitchell introduced a bill to create an additional land district in Oregon, which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

The House Committee on Banking and Currency Decide on an Important Bill

CHICAGO, Jan 27—A Washington special to the *Inter Ocean* says the House Committee on Banking and Currency have come to a very important conclusion. The Committee at first decided against Kelley's bill and against abolishing the national bank system. Having settled these questions the Committee then framed a bill of which the following are the leading features: 1st, that restriction of the total amount of bank circulation shall be repealed, which is equivalent to authorizing free banking under the provisions of the present law except as modified by the Committee. 2d, that the requirement that banks shall keep a reserve of greenbacks in their vaults to redeem their notes shall be repealed, and instead every bank shall deposit in the Treasury greenbacks amounting to five per cent. of its circulation as a fund for redemption of its notes and shall keep this reserve good. 3d, banks shall not be allowed to pay or receive interest on deposits with each other. 4th, that country banks shall be required to keep their deposit reserves at home. 5th, gold banks shall be allowed to issue notes to the amount of eighty per cent. only of their bonds instead of ninety as at present. It is understood that only three members of the Committee voted against reporting the bill containing these provisions. These were Knowles, Phelps and Mitchell.

Jos. G. Wilson's Widow Nominated Postmaster at The Dalles

WASHINGTON, Jan 27—The President has nominated Mrs T. M. Wilson postmaster at The Dalles.

Moral of the Virginius Affair

WASHINGTON, Jan 27—The House Committee on Judiciary have under consideration General Butler's resolution instructing it to inquire and report whether Courts of the United States have adequate jurisdiction and authority to prevent and punish improper use of the flag and the national character of the United States on board merchant vessels on the high seas or in foreign ports and providing for the seizure of such vessels, and for the punishment of the persons who fraudulently issue marine papers.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, Jan 27—The Committee agreed to report adversely on the Postal Savings bank bill, but in order to give the friends of the measure an opportunity to advocate it in the House it was arranged that the bill with the adverse report should be put on the calendar for discussion in Committee of the whole.

CANADA.

TORONTO, Jan 27—John Livingstone, brother of Dr Livingstone, residing at Listowell, says: "The last letter which reached his friends in England from my brother was dated August 1872. [illegible] be on the eve of his leaving for the interior."

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Death of Dr. Livingstone Discussed in England.

LONDON, Jan 26.—The death of Dr. Livingstone took place in June last. He had been traveling over a partially submerged country and after wading four days through the water was seized by the illness of which he died.

At a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society last night several members expressed doubts as to the truth of the report of Livingstone's death. Mr Kirk said that when he left Zanzibar in September rumors of a similar character were current. He thought the news if true would have been officially forwarded long before the present date.

Railway Accident with Loss of Life.

LONDON, Jan 27—While the express passenger train from Edinburg for Glasgow was running at a great speed this morning it came in collision with another express train and sixteen were killed, a number severely injured and several coaches demolished.

Gladstone's Troubles

LONDON, Jan 27—Speculation continues with regard to the reasons which caused the Government to decide on a dissolution of Parliament. Some declare it was brought about by dissensions in the Cabinet, others that Gladstone has been summoned before the Court of Queen's Bench for not standing for re-election after accepting the office in March last.

The utmost interest is manifested over the election, and much activity displayed in preparation. Newspapers are filled with appeals to electors in counties where elections are to be contested. These will occupy the first two weeks of February and the [illegible] in the boroughs the time between.

A LITTLE CANDID CRITICISM.—Not long ago the youthful Mr [illegible] was engaged to manipulate the ivory on a church organ not far from the Hub. At the same church and upon the same occasion a Unitarian clergyman was engaged to officiate in the pulpit. Both of the gentlemen left town the following morning by the same train and both occupied the same seat, the young organist recognizing the clergyman but himself unknown to the cloth. Passing the compliments of the morning the Cloth queried whether the young man attended the Unitarian church the preceding day. Organist said he had that pleasure and asked [illegible] he liked the music. Pulpit said the music would have been excellent if the organ had not been played in so loud and boisterous a manner. The old Pulpit asked young Organ how he liked the preaching. Organ said: Not at all; the preaching was too loud and ranting. A gentleman in the next seat who had listened to the conversation, and knew both parties, turned about and kindly introduced the clergyman to the organist.—*Lawrence (Mass.) American.*

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27—In the Twelfth District Court to-day the trial of Kinsey and his wife, the two McLeans and W. Dow, for the murder of Harvey Green at Pescadero was resumed. Mr Fox of San Mateo appeared on behalf of the people and is now making the opening speech, stating the circumstances of the homicide. Messrs Reynolds and Campbell appear for the prisoners. A large crowd of people are in attendance.

In the Board of Supervisors last night Mr Lynch offered a resolution authorizing the City and County Attorney to commence suit against the City Gas Co to compel the forfeiture of its franchise and to vest all its rights and property in the city.

The trial of Robert Manning for the murder of a Chinaman in May last was resumed in the Fifteenth District Court to-day.

Greenbacks 90@90¼.

Fred Sylvester is the name of the fourth assistant engineer of the steamer *McGregor*, accidentally shot last night.

The Supervisors last night removed Burke Phillips from the position of Prosecuting Attorney of the Police Court, and elected T. I. Bachelder to his place.

A large number of people left to-day for Sacramento to attend the Governor's reception to-night.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27—The official statement of the condition of the Raymond & Ely Mine is published and shows receipts $2,500,000; expenditures, $2,500,000; no cash on hand. Indebtedness to the Bank of California $90,000. Ore on dumps 150 tons. Total liabilities $125,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27—Eight of the clerks in the office of the tax collector having asked the Board of Supervisors for extra pay, Mr Austin discharged all of them from his employ.

Fannie Lund has sued the Central Pacific Railroad Company to recover $100,000 damages for the death of her husband in January, 1872, by a collision on defendant's road at Sydney.

John H. Seaders has sued the *[illegible] Post* for libel, claiming $5,000 damages. The paper published him as a blackmailer and dealer in obscene literature.

At the annual election of the Belcher Mining Company, held to-day, the following trustees were elected: J. D. Fry, A. K. P. Harmon, B. I. Sherwood, J. H. Dobinson and R. I. Morrow. Number of shares represented 91,453. The Secretary's report exhibited a balance on hand on Jan 1st of $990,663 90. At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Trustees the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. D. Fry, President; A. K. P. Harmon, Vice President; H. C. Kibbe, Secretary, and W. H. Smith, Superintendent.

The new mail steamer *Colima* sailed to-day on her first voyage to Panama. She took $200,000 gold coin for Callao, a cargo of wheat for Liverpool valued at $27,000 and over 18,000 gallons of wine for New York.

The trial of Kinsey and wife, the brothers McLean and William Dow, for the murder of Harvey Green is still going on in the Twelfth District Court. The testimony for the people is not yet all given. No new light has been thrown on the circumstances of the tragedy. The trial will probably occupy several days.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27—John Foley, Manager of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, died to-night in this city after a lingering illness.

Fred Sylvester, Fourth Assistant Engineer of the steamer *McGregor*, who was accidentally shot last night, is still alive and there are hopes that he will recover.

Mary Smith is on trial before the Police Court and jury to-night for keeping a house of ill fame. She has employed five or six lawyers for her defense. No verdict yet.

Weather clear and pleasant.

Interior California.

COLUSA, Jan 27—Deputy Sheriff Ping brings word that James Shepard was shot through the abdomen at widow Laird's place near Achton on Stony Creek yesterday by some one unknown in ambush. His wound will probably prove fatal. No clue to the assassin.

STOCKTON, Jan 27—Chas T. Swenson, arrested last evening, charged with assault with intent to kill Benj Cooke, was brought before Justice Munter for examination this forenoon, waived an examination and was held to answer in the sum of $2,000.

The baggage room of the C. P. R. R. at their depot was burglarized last evening. Quite an assortment of plunder was carried off.

There will be a meeting of the friends of the proposed local option act held in the Presbyterian Church of this city to-morrow for the purpose of eliciting public opinion of such a law.

Weather drizzling rain with heavy fog.

MARYSVILLE, Jan 27—Last night about midnight a man named Geo. Everett, alias Tough, made a raid on the lodgers at the St. Nicholas building for the purpose of finding his paramour. He demanded admission to the room of Mr Sam Everett, not a relative, but was refused. He then burst the door open and shot at Mr Everett, who clinched and threw him in the struggle. Tough shot Everett in the leg; the ball struck his shin bone and lodged in the calf of the leg. Mr Everett seized a water pitcher and broke it over Tough's head, rendering him insensible and wounding him severely. Tough is under arrest.

THE FALLING STARS AND THE UNION.—But Mr Lincoln did not deal exclusively in burlesque. He received once a call from a delegation of bank presidents, at one of the gloomiest periods of the war, when depression and even discouragement prevailed in many places. One of the financial gentlemen asked the President if his confidence in the future was not beginning to be shaken. "Not in the least," he answered. "When I was a young man in Illinois," he continued, "I boarded for a time with a deacon of the Presbyterian church. One night I was aroused from my sleep by a rap at my door and I heard the deacon's voice exclaiming, 'Arise, Abraham! the Day of Judgment has come!' I sprang from my bed and rushed to the window and there I saw the stars falling in a shower. But I looked beyond the falling stars, and far back in the heavens I saw—fixed apparently, and immovable—the grand old constellations with which I was so well acquainted. No, gentlemen, the world did not come to an end then, nor will the Union now."

A DISSATISFIED CONGRESSMAN.—An ambitious Eastern member of Congress has announced his intention of bringing a [illegible] before the courts to try the constitutionality of the civil service rules. This is a good idea. We hope the Congressman will make up his case carefully and proceed. Nothing could be more interesting than a judicial opinion touching the claims of the average Congressman on the civil service. We trust they will be brought to the attention of the courts in the test case. The indefeasible right of every member to promote his own re-election by the distribution of offices without reference to the public interest and in the place of [illegible] ought not to be ignored. [illegible]

[illegible] the hen? The hen [illegible] was in bad company and laying eggs for the rebels.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS

VIEWS OF THE HOUSE ON THE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Jan 27—Anthony introduced a resolution forbidding the publication of remarks in the *Congressional Record* of any portions of speeches not actually delivered in the Senate or House of Representatives. Referred.

Edmunds introduced a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee to inquire whether the judicial expenses of Washington Territory can be diminished by decreasing the number of places at which courts shall be held. Adopted.

Mitchell introduced a bill to ascertain the losses sustained by citizens of Oregon on account of Indian depredations. Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

Morrill of Vermont, from the Finance Committee, reported favorably the bill explanatory of the Act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage of March 2d, [illegible]. Passed. This is the bill introduced by Fenton in December last. It provides that nothing contained in the Act referred to shall be so construed as to involve the confiscation of an entire invoice in consequence of any item or items contained in the same being undervalued, but that such confiscation shall apply only to merchandise actually undervalued in said invoice.

The morning hour expiring, consideration of the resolution reported by the Finance Committee was resumed and Merriman addressed the Senate. He favored the immediate resumption of specie payments and hoped that the glorious event would take place July 4th 1876, and that every dollar of greenbacks would be redeemed then. Meantime he wanted the currency increased at least $100,000,000 and more equally distributed so that the South and West should have their just proportion. He wanted to see a charter granted for a great National Bank with a capital of $100,000,000, in 25 dollar shares, so that the whole people could have stock in it. He wanted an equilibrium produced in the industries of the various sections of the country or sectional trouble would again threaten.

Merriman was frequently interrupted by Edmunds with questions and a colloquial debate continued between them until 3 to when the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.

Poland, from the Judiciary Committee, reported a bill authorizing the Legislatures of the several organized Territories except Utah at each regular session to make an assignment of Judges to hold Courts in the Districts, and when the Legislature fails to do so then the Judges of such Territories shall make an assignment to continue in force till the close of the next regular session of the Legislature. The bill passed.

Petitions were presented by Boutwell, Sherman, Fenton, Ramsey, Wright, Chandler, Anthony, and others from the women of various parts of the country asking for legislation conferring upon them the right to vote. Referred.

Edmunds, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported back the resolution requesting the Attorney General to inform the Senate as to the sale of Government property at Harper's Ferry and pending suits in relation thereto. Passed.

Wright, from the Finance Committee, reported back the bill providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate as to the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors with an amendment and recommended that it be passed. It was placed on the calendar.

Kelley, from the Select Committee on the Centennial Exposition, reported a bill representing that at the various International Expositions that had been held in foreign countries the United States had been represented in pursuance of invitations by the Governments of those countries, and requesting the President to extend in the name of the United States cordial invitations to the Governments of other nations to take part in the International Exposition to be held at Philadelphia under the auspices of the Government of the United States in 1876.

Butler of Massachusetts inquired if Congress would not be required to make appropriations to carry the matter through.

Kelley replied that the question was not involved in the bill.

Hale of Maine warned the House that it was a plan to get the President and Secretary of State committed to the great Philadelphia Fourth of July celebration, and if passed Congress would be called on within the next two years for appropriations of from five to ten million dollars.

Kelley denied that the Government would be put to any expense.

Kasson suggested an amendment that the communications to foreign Governments be in such language as not to present it as an enterprise guaranteed by the Government of the United States.

Kelley was willing to accept the amendment if there was no objection from members of the Centennial Committee.

Randall objected.

Hawley of Connecticut, one of the committee, claimed that the Government was so far committed in the matter that it could not retract without shame and national mortification. The committee would bring before the House at this session a proposition asking directly and frankly for Government aid, and would see whether Congress would refuse to appropriate three or four million dollars for this great purpose of peace while it can give forty, fifty or sixty millions a year for the army and navy.

The discussion continued at length. Smith of Ohio opposed the project as one certain to cost the Government from seven to ten millions of dollars.

Hoar of Massachusetts thought that the Government was already pledged to the matter.

Williams of Wisconsin said the people of Wisconsin were a unit in responding to Pennsylvania for whatever was reasonable and patriotic.

The debate here closed and Hale of Maine moved to table the bill—ayes 43, noes 20[illegible]. The bill was then passed without the ayes and noes.

The West Virginia contested election case was then taken up and discussed without action until [illegible] when the House adjourned.

HOW IT WAS DONE

Under a Washington special of Jan 8th, to the New York *[illegible]* we take the annexed:

Some interesting particulars have been learned in regard to the withdrawal of Judge Williams' name. When the President, during his visit to the Senate the other day, discovered that Mr Williams' confirmation would be impossible, the question arose how shall it be most gracefully withdrawn? The President repeatedly assured Mr Williams that he should allow the name to remain and he could not therefore withdraw it without [illegible] … the President [illegible] … At length [illegible] Mr Williams [illegible] … the President and Senate were [illegible] … the President to withdraw his name. When the situation was explained to the Attorney General he [illegible] addressed the letter to the President and [illegible] the White House.

AN ELOQUENT REBUKE

The speech of Elliott, colored, of South Carolina, in the House of Representatives, in reply to Alex. H. Stephens on the Civil Rights Bill, is very generally commended by the press of the Eastern States. In his peroration Elliott said, alluding to Mr Stephens:

It was scarcely twelve years since that gentleman had shocked the civilized world by announcing as the highest form of government the one that rested on human slavery. The progress of time had swept away that pseudo government and the race which he (Stephens) ruthlessly spurned and trampled upon was here now to meet him in discussion, to demand that the rights enjoyed by its former oppressors should be accorded to those who even in the darkness of slavery had kept their allegiance true to freedom and union. That gentleman had learned much since 1861, but he was still a learner. He (Stephens) should put away entirely those false and fatal theories which had marred his otherwise enviable record. He should accept in its fullness the great doctrine that American citizenship carried with it every civil and political right that manhood can confer. He should lend his influence and his masterly abilities to complete the proud structure of legislation which made the nation worthy of the great Declaration that heralded its birth. Let him do that and he would have done that which would most certainly redeem his reputation in the world, and best vindicate the wisdom of that policy which had permitted him to return to his seat in the House. As to the gentleman from Virginia (Harris) who had yesterday transcended decency and propriety, he (Elliott) would have no words with him. He would let that gentleman feel that a negro was not only too magnanimous to smite him in his weakness but was even charitable enough to grant him the mercy of his silence. [Applause and laughter.] The Holy Scriptures told of an humble handmaiden who had long and faithfully gleaned in the rich fields of her wealthy kinsman, and at last, in spite of her humble antecedents, she found complete favor in his sight. So with his race. It had for two centuries reaped down their fields. The cries and woes which they had uttered had entered into the ears of the Lord God, and they were at last partially free. The last vestiture, civil rights, only was needed. Having gained that they might with hearts overflowing with gratitude and thankful that their prayer had been granted repeat the prayer of Ruth: "Entreat me not to leave thee or to turn from following after thee, for whither thou goest I will go and where thou lodgest I will lodge. Thy people shall be my people and thy God my God. Where thou diest I will die and there will I be buried. The Lord do so to me and more also if aught but death part thee and me." The speech was listened to with marked interest and attention by members on both sides of the House and by crowded galleries, and at its close Elliott was very generally and loudly applauded. Many members congratulated the colored orator warmly, and General Sherman, who was present in the hall, joined in these congratulations.

SAD ACCIDENT.

A SCOTCH BARON AND FOUR OTHERS DROWNED ON LOCH LOMOND.

[From the London Times.]

On the afternoon of December 18th Sir James Colquhoun of Luss and four attendants were drowned in Loch Lomond. Sir James and his brother Mr William Colquhoun, accompanied by several game-keepers, had early in the day gone to the island of Inchlonaig where deer are preserved. The intention of Sir James was to shoot some for the purpose of distributing them as his custom was in this season of the year among the poor people on his extensive estates. The party killed nine deer and it was when returning with the bodies that the sad accident happened. Mr William Colquhoun returned in a punt.

Sir James occupied a seat in a strong well built fishing boat regarded as one of the safest used on the loch, which was manned by three keepers and a kennel boy. In the same boat were five deer. The weather was stormy, the gamekeepers were inexperienced boatmen, and it is supposed that one of them had what is technically called caught a "crab" and that this led to the overturning of the boat. Mr Wm. Colquhoun and the occupants of a third boat, which was also laden with deer, reached the shore in safety, and it was only then that Mr Colquhoun discovered that an accident had befallen his brother and those accompanying him.

Searching parties were at once organized, and yesterday morning the boat which had been capsized was found bottom upward at Moura by Bay, which is distant about two miles from the scene of disaster. Near the same place two oars and also the hat which Sir James wore were picked up. The bodies have not yet been recovered. Arrangements have been made for dragging the loch to-day.

Sir James Colquhoun was born in 1804 and was thus seventy years of age. He succeeded his father in 1836. He was Lord Lieutenant of Dumbartonshire, and Chief of the Colquhouns of Luss, and he had the patronage of several livings in the Church of Scotland. The deceased was a staunch Whig, and he represented the county of Dumbarton in Parliament from 1837 to 1841. He will be succeeded by his son, Sir James Colquhoun, who has been in delicate health for some time and who is at present traveling in Egypt. The Colquhoun family is one of the oldest in Scotland.

A RHODE ISLAND SAMSON.—A Newport letter to the Providence *Star* says:

There is living in this city a man quite as remarkable for his muscular powers as was he who in older times bore off on his shoulders the gate of Gaza. When a youth he was wont to shoulder a barrel of flour with his feet inside a peck measure. On one occasion on Stephen's wharf, as the result of a banter that he could not shoulder an anchor weighing 550 pounds, he raised it to his shoulders, carried it up Barstow's wharf, up four steps into the United States Hotel (west door), [illegible] it through, down one step out of the south door, down the wharf back again and deposited it on the scales for weighing. The distance he carried it must have been from 60 to 100 yards. The feat was considered so remarkable that it was placed upon the town record, where it may be seen by any one who may be incredulous. On another occasion [illegible] were tugging at a hogshead of molasses lying on its bilge endeavoring to place it on end, when he ordered them aside and rolled it up alone. Though now fifty-seven years old he is ready at any time on a wager to lift to his shoulders a barrel of flour. The same man (he is an out-and-out teetotaler now) has been known to [illegible] the bar of the old Fall House and drink thirty-two glasses of liquor without turning round. [illegible]

BUT LITTLE [illegible].—A Washington special of Jan 21 says that ex-Governor Warmoth asserts that Senator Carpenter's [illegible] election bill for Louisiana, which will be introduced in both Houses on Monday next, [illegible] the bill will pass both Houses.

The average temperature at Baker City for the week ending January [illegible] was 32 degrees above zero. The maximum was 47° and the minimum 1[illegible].

OREGON

The Baker county Democratic Committee will meet soon on the 24th inst.

Barnard & Co.'s stages on the line between Yale and Cariboo, B. C., are all drawn by Oregon raised horses.

I. C. H[illegible], Esq., and Miss Mary F. Parker were married with great eclat in Baker City on the 18th instant, Rev Dr Nevins officiating.

The Odd Fellows at Jefferson had a public installation and sociable a few nights since, and the affair was very much enjoyed by all participants.

Messrs Patterson & Mudge have contracted for the first boat to be constructed at their new Astoria ship yard. It will be for use at one of the Columbia river fisheries.

Two men named respectively Perry Mauzey and Henry Johns, of South Salem, had an affray last Sunday evening, in which Mauzey came out second best, receiving some pretty severe bruises with stones and cuts with a knife. Johns was to be arrested but eloped.

A part of Mr Beckett's warehouse at Eola fell on Saturday last. It contained some five or six thousand bushels of grain. A number of men went to work and sacked up the grain, so that but little loss will be sustained except what is incurred by the damage of the building.

Mr Bingham of Washington county has purchased the fine stallion Luther, a thoroughbred horse, sired by the famous Lexington, and one of his finest colts. Luther is sixteen hands high, a beautiful bay, and weighs 1,250 pounds. He is probably the superior of any horse now in Oregon in blood and build.

Round Prairie Lodge, I. O. G. T., of Brooks' station, held a public anniversary meeting on Friday evening of last week, which is said to have been a very pleasant affair. The hall was filled with spectators and the exercises consisted of music, the reading of a paper, addresses by Hon Tilmon Ford and Hon W. R. Dunbar.

The *Statesman* says: A robbery was committed a few days since at the residence of Hiram Young, living on the island near Lola, Polk county. The sum of $165 in coin was stolen and no one was suspected for a few days until a man named George Hillyer, who was employed by Young, left in a manner which excited suspicion. He was arrested and brought before the Justice of the Peace, F. Pearce, and bound over to appear at Circuit Court.

The Marion County Woman Suffrage Association met at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, being an adjourned meeting for the purpose of electing officers under the Constitution adopted at the last meeting. The following were chosen: President, Mrs John Minto; Vice Presidents, Mrs Wm England, Mrs John Jordan and Mrs Geo Williams; Recording Secretary, R. F. Hawley; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs Belle W. Cooke; Treasurer, Mrs J. A. Johns. On motion of Mrs P. L. Price it was decided to appoint seven delegates to attend the Woman Suffrage Convention to be held in Portland on the 13th and 14th of next month. The Delegates appointed for that purpose were Mrs P. L. Price, Mrs W. S. Moores, Mrs W. D. Prentice, Mrs J. D. Foltz, Mrs S. C. Adams, C. A. Reed, R. T. Hawley.

THE TERRITORIES.

A grange of the Patrons of Husbandry was organized in Chehalis last Monday.

The skull of an ancient Flathead Indian has been found at Olympia and the owner is requested to call for it and pay charges.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Freeport, W. T., Jan 24th 1874, Warren J. Bowman of Tacoma, was married to Miss Olive Stone.

The Grand Masquerade Ball to come off on Friday evening the 30th in their town, now occupies a prominent place in the mind of the fun loving Olympians.

The following officers were elected by the Unitarian Sunday School of Olympia, to serve for one year: Mrs C. H. Hale, Superintendent; J. H. Houghton, Assistant Superintendent; Miss Nettie Dobbins, Treasurer; G. F. Smith, Librarian; Miss Lizzie Baldwin, Chorister; W. H. Roberts, Organist.

The *Courier* says: "At the meeting of the Trustees of the Olympia Railroad, last Saturday, a by-law was passed allowing any one feeling aggrieved at the decision of the Board of Appraisers, in fixing the value of his lands or property, to appeal to the Board of seventeen Trustees. Considerable discussion of the objects and prospects of the Union took place, in which the land owners invited to be present took part. Some 700 acres of land and 17 lots were subscribed at the meeting by Gen McKinney, Messrs Allen Bros, Prattler, Munson and Dennis."

WALLAMET VALLEY AND ITS FUTURE

The Wallamet valley contains about four million acres of arable land, of which three-fourths, or three million acres, are susceptible of profitable cultivation. We probably have raised four million bushels of wheat during the past year, and as wheat has averaged a good yield—we may confidently say over 20 bushels per acre—we must conclude that not over two hundred thousand acres, or one acre in 20 of the Wallamet valley, have been cultivated during the past year in wheat. At the utmost as much more ground has been occupied with meadows, orchards, gardens, and root crops, which would only show that one acre in ten is in actual cultivation.

This valley is capable of producing more grass than it now affords by proper care and cultivation of one-fourth the acreage now used for grazing. It can also yield ten times the amount of wheat we have raised the present year, and that sort of cultivation would insure its population and wealth as great as that possessed by any equal space in the world so used and cultivated. We shall probably have next year a surplus of 5,000,000 bushels of wheat from this valley, which will afford cargoes for thousand ton ships every other week day in the year. It will be no difficult matter for this valley to raise 25,000,000 bushels, which it can do by the proper cultivation of one fourth of its soil in wheat, and that would bring to the Columbia river 500 large vessels a year for cargoes, and very likely wheat from the upper Columbia and Umpqua would be furnished to load 250 vessels more, making 1,000 ships which may find cargoes of the single article of wheat, when our land is anywhere near in efficient cultivation.

Some may say this is "speculation." No more so than to judge that so much crude gold will coin into so many double-eagles; no more so than to count that ore beds will produce so much iron or copper or lead. We have the soil, which is almost going to waste in worn-out pastures, and we only need the men and the teams and the plows—with the added will and intelligence—to bring to our river a fleet as large as ever came to California—a fleet which shall bear no visionary crews of Argonauts, but shall come here for bread to maintain the life of the old-world nations and shall exchange the products of all the world for our staples.

This is but an imperfect glance at the future of Oregon, which many of us shall undoubtedly live to witness and which all of us should labor to accomplish. The progress of the world demands wheat bread for nations and race [illegible] and our mission and destiny are to feed the world and thrive upon the [illegible] of it.—*The [illegible]*

THE [illegible] FRANCHISE.—A London dispatch of Jan 21st says a deputation of workingmen headed by Joseph Arch to-day waited upon Gladstone and urged the propriety of granting the elective franchise to agricultural laborers. Gladstone expressed himself in favor of their object, but advised them to be patient, pointing out the magnitude and weightiness of the measure and the brief duration of Parliament.

Stone has some pretty watches and lockets. They are lovely [illegible].

MR REID'S LABORS.

A GOOD PLACE TO PUT $5,000—A SUGGESTION WITH SOME STRICTURES ON THE LAST LEGISLATURE.

JANUARY 27, 1874.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I have read with interest Mr Reid's several letters from Scotland in your columns. He seems to be working intelligently and earnestly to promote European emigration to Oregon. I was opposed to the Emigration Commission scheme of the last Legislature, and was heartily glad when Governor Grover vetoed the intended job. But if Mr Reid is the sensible honorable man I infer he is, I think the next Legislature could wisely place a small sum of money in his hands to be expended by him in the furtherance of his plans. Say let an appropriation of $5,000 be made for the two succeeding years—$2,500 per year—to be expended by Mr Reid in aid of his labor. Let this be tried as an experiment, and if when the next following Assembly meets satisfactory results have not ensued it of course will not be repeated.

I infer that Mr R. does not desire to be paid as commissioner, and it occurs to me that with a small expenditure more could be accomplished through him than in any other manner by a greater outlay.

The last Legislature appropriated $2,000 to pay the expenses of a commissioner in visiting Philadelphia, regarding the centennial exhibition of 1876. Two visits, I think, have been made and a third I understand is this season contemplated. It is certain the State will derive no commensurate benefit for these jaunts, and it is to be regretted that the appropriation providing for them did not also meet the Executive veto. I trust like appropriations will not be repeated at the approaching session. The money can be used with more profit to the State in sending articles of Oregon production and manufacture there for exhibition in 1876. Or if the State shall prefer to leave that work to individual effort then it had better bestow the money in furtherance of Mr Reid's labors in our behalf. By all means let the State be represented in its wonderful products at the exhibition in 1876, but it is of little or no importance that a commissioner make, like Flora McFlimsy, three several visits or more before. The State can certainly put the money to better uses.

A bill was lobbied through the last Legislature (and it, too, escaped the Executive veto) appropriating several thousand dollars to Geo Abernethy, as salary of Governor prior to 1848. It was objected that this was a proper claim for Congress and not the State legislature. The objection possessed plausibility and right, and should have prevailed. It was met with the reply that somebody said Congress wouldn't pay it till the State had, and then there would be no trouble in getting it through Congress. Well, the State has paid the salary, and, as there was reason to expect, that is the last that has been heard of it. But, can't some of our delegation get it up in Congress? Our junior Senator has been engaged in shooting off a good many bills; can't he load with one reimbursing the State for this money? It is a favorable time to get it if it is possible to get it from that source. Our Representative in the House was here in early missionary times, and knows all about Gov Abernethy's services.

There are a great many more of those unpaid bills of what is styled the Provisional Government. It was feared that the passage of the Abernethy relief bill would open the doors of the State treasury to them all. It is hoped the Legislature will content itself in memorializing Congress to pay the rest of them. At least, until it sees that body has repaid the one already assumed. Indeed any bill upon the subject offered in Congress should be made to cover them all.

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OREGON'S FRIENDS IN SCOTLAND

We hope every reader of the OREGONIAN has read before this the interesting letter published in the OREGONIAN of Monday from our regular correspondent in Scotland, Hon William Reid U S Vice Consul at Dundee Mr Reid has devoted much time and labor to the acquirement of a correct knowledge of the varied resources of our State and this information has been scattered all over Great Britain, both by personal intercourse with representative men, by private correspondence and the ordinary m[illegible] of the press Aided by Hon [illegible] Cook, of Vancouver W T, M[illegible] has done more, perhaps to give to all classes in Scotland [illegible] and reliable statements concerning the unsurpassed advantages of the Northwest coast, than any other individual, even of our own State We are in occasional receipt of the Dundee *Advertiser*, an able and widely circulated journal, and in almost every number we find some friendly allusion to our State

Here we find thousands of miles from our shores an active interest in Oregon and an energetic, well devised effort to make known her matchless inducements to the intending emigrant, while among our own citizens who are directly interested in the growth of the commonwealth there is a lamentable lack of interest, or, at any rate, a want of concerted action. There are to-day in Oregon several Scotch gentlemen of large means who have come hither on the representations of Messrs. Reid and Cook. They are quietly traveling over the State, noting the peculiar advantages of climate and soil for the industries which they represent If they are satisfied on these points they will bring hither additional capital and muscle which are now waiting for the opening of some favorable channel of egress from the overcrowded towns and countryside of Scotland

It is high time that we were awakening from this damaging indifference Oregon should make known the light which through all these years she has been hiding under a bushel Individual effort has done something, but it is quite inadequate to the task of peopling a State It is a plain duty of the legislative branch of the Government to meet this pressing need with liberal aid A correspondent whose letter appears in another column, suggests that the next Legislature should make an appropriation of at least $5,000 toward carrying on the work so handsomely begun by our friends in Scotland We are inclined to think the amount mentioned is insufficient, but if the Legislature of 1874 will appropriate $5 000 and provide suitable means for its efficient disbursement, an excellent beginning will have been made We hope to see our exchanges in different parts of the State take up this subject and keep it before the people

MR. NESMITH'S INDIAN BILL

It is likely that the present Congress will make some important changes in our Indian policy The subject is receiving unusual attention at Washington, and there seems to be a disposition on the part of representatives from all sections of the country toward a new departure The nature of these changes was indicated in these columns, several days since In Washington correspondence of the New York *Times* of recent date, we find additional details. Therein it is asserted that Western Congressmen are unanimous in condemnation of the peace policy that they are preparing for an attack upon the Indian Department all along the line "The Western men say that persons from the East, with broadbrimmed hat ideas and no real knowledge of Indian nature go out among the dissatisfied red men and only succeed in running up large bills against the Government without doing any good " This is the standing objection against the system now in vogue It has been urged from the day in which the peace policy was first put on trial but it has never before found such support as it has to-day in Washington The element in Congress which advocates the principle involved in Mr Nesmith's bill is made up of those who are presumed to know most about Indian affairs. It is urged that there are plenty of army officers who have spent years upon the plains, and have become familiar with every phase of the Indian character and that they are the most available, and in most particulars the best men to look after the interests of the Indians. We have already given our views on the validity of these arguments in favor of a change and we will not here repeat them.

The correspondent heretofore alluded to has put Mr Nesmith's Indian bill in the best possible light We append his interesting summary of its provisions

Mr Nesmith of Oregon an ex Senator of the War Democrat school one of the new members of the House and an old Indian fighter, is going to introduce a bill after the holidays providing that after the 1st of July 1874 the Secretary of War shall supplant the present Secretary of the Interior in all functions relating to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs He would also give the Secretary of War the authority to sign all requisitions for the advance or payment of moneys out of the Treasury on estimates or accounts subject to the same adjustment or control now exercised over the accounts on estimates by the Auditors and Controllers of the Treasury The effect of this bill will be also to give plenty of occupation for army officers who at present are [illegible], in the depths of [illegible] at the frontier posts to study draw poker and kindred amusements to slaughter time The Secretary of War is to be authorized to establish convenient departments and [illegible] the proper administration of the duties now imposed upon the Superintendent of Indian Affairs whenever in his [illegible] it shall promote the efficiency of the [illegible] service substituting in all cases for Indian agents and sub agents officers of the army who [illegible] be designated for that purpose These [illegible] are to be charged with all the duties under the present law while they are to receive no additional compensation therefor How [illegible] will be received by army officers—this [illegible] crease of services to be rendered without any increase of pay—is not very doubtful [illegible] can be seen that a large reduction [illegible] expen[illegible] will be accomplished The present office of Commissioner of Indian Affairs under the bill will be filled by an officer not under the rank of Brigadier General None of the others will be required to give bonds but will [illegible] responsible for any neglect or maladministration of duty according to the rules of the wa[illegible] The supplies hitherto furnished by special [illegible] contractors are to be furnished [illegible] with the regulation [illegible] supplies The [illegible] is to plan [illegible] the bill, to have license only as the Secretary of War shall see fit he having the power to revoke them at any time

For Governor Davis persistent refusal to turn over the Executive office of Texas to the present incumbent there may have been a reason outside the indefinable instinct which prompts the officeholder to cling to his office Senator Flanagan is that Chairman of the Committee on Education and Labor who waved his back jaw over the head of Charles Sumner in the Senate the other day shouting in his astonished ears the memorable phrase [illegible] Flanagan term expires March [illegible] 1875 It has been the custom in Texas to hold the Senatorial election the winter preceding the expiration of a Senatorial term But the present Legislature proposes to elect Flanagan's successor at the present session More than that the strongest candidate is one John H Reagan ex Postmaster General of the Confederate States Reagan is said to be one of the ancient fire eaters and it is alleged also that his principal support comes from a faction of the Democratic party whose platform is contained in this extract from a speech recently made by John Ireland Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee "I hate the United States flag and I will teach my children and my children's children to hate it for it is the emblem of the degradation and thraldom of my country" This is the story of certain Texas gentlemen interviewed by a Washington correspondent of the N Y *Times* The election of one of this class would be unsatisfactory to the Republicans and Liberal Democrats and hence the desire to have the present Legislature dissolved The chances are that the scholarly Flanagan must yield to the flammivorous Reagan

The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* talks distinctly on a delicate subject when speaking of Department outfits he says that "for no inconsiderable number of the carriages that bear private monograms it is simple truth and not fashion to say that carriages horses and harness were stolen from some contingent fund, and that the liveried outriders are on some one of the department rolls as messengers at sixty dollars a month and that while the mistress is thus driving in her stolen state, other 'messengers' similarly paid are laying the dinner at home " The Cincinnati *Gazette*, be it remembered can not do wrong It is a Republican journal of the strictest sect

General Custer of Indian fighting notoriety is a mighty hunter as well He reports that he slew with his own right hand and not another's in three months forty one antelope four buffaloes four elk four bucktail deer three American deer, and two white wolves, besides geese, ducks, and other feathered fowl innumerable He also says that the average distance at which the forty one antelope were brought down exceeded 250 yards by actual measurement and that he rarely obtained a shot at an antelope under 150 yards, while the range extended from that distance up to 630 yards Custer must be an excellent shot

The Virginia *Enterprise* has found the meanest man A drover who was taking a band of 500 fat sheep to Virginia City was snowed in at the Geiger Grade where he was obliged to halt. There were a few tons of hay at the station, but when the owner thereof was asked to sell he demanded $150 per ton just $120 more than it would bring in Virginia, five miles distant The drover declined to pay the exorbitant price He went to town drove out a small band of cattle and brought the sheep to town over the trail thus made A clear case of "vaulting ambition

In a private letter to the editor of the OREGONIAN, Hon William Reid informs us that a Company of fourteen persons all of them nearly related to himself by blood will leave Scotland for Oregon, in the coming spring

THE AVON MYSTERY

AN INQUEST EXPLODES THE THEORY OF THE GIRL WHO THOUGHT SHE COULD DIE AND COME TO LIFE AGAIN

Eastern papers of recent date give lengthy accounts of the death of one Miss Bonny at Canawaugus N Y who was afflicted during her lifetime with the hallucination that she could throw herself into a trance which would last for a long period at the end of which she would awaken again to life She attempted to demonstrate this to the skeptical The annexed excerpt from the Albany *Journal* gives the result of the experiment

Coroner Bissell of Geneseo accompanied by Dr Lauderdale and Sheriff Arnold came here on the morning train, and proceeded to Canawaugus to investigate the case of Miss Bonny They met with no resistance in gaining an entrance and in making a full examination of the corpse, for such they pronounced it to be They found no appearance of violent death or other circumstances which would warrant them in taking the body in charge and say that the body is so far decomposed as to render dissection useless in reaching the cause of her death Externally it presents a full and plump appearance and dark yellow color, and is of the same temperature as the room and does not differ from the appearance of any body which had been kept the same length of time The stench in the room is fearful The Coroner and party returned to Geneseo on the morning train The faith of the believers is unshaken by their visit, and they will keep the remains unburied

Thus it appears that Miss Bonny actually perpetrated a very severe joke upon herself A large portion of the community will never believe that she took poison If she did not she worked her mind into such a condition of excitement that death resulted therefrom To most people the latter theory will seem highly improbable, if as has been stated the deceased was at the time in a state of perfect bodily health It is to be regretted that the Coroner did not do his duty promptly and by a thorough investigation ascertain whether the girl was poisoned or not

The examination of this late day reveals the fact that the remains have been steadily undergoing the process of decay and are now but a putrid mass, emitting a fearful stench This should be enough to satisfy the most ardent spiritualists that the body can never return to life Still the family refuse to be convinced and announce their purpose to keep the re[illegible] months This is one of the most [illegible] of modern times The thought of permitting the corpse of a [illegible] to decay in the house is horrible to contemplate It would seem [illegible] there was enough [illegible] law, [illegible] such an [illegible]

If the people of [illegible] We think they have [illegible] demand a thorough [illegible]

GOV ANDREW'S LETTER

[illegible] the annexed copy of the letter written [illegible]

H C[illegible]—S[illegible] [illegible] that treat [illegible] constitutional liberty and [illegible] referred to the dread arbitrament of arms [illegible] bound to say that although our personal relations have always been agreeable to myself and notwithstanding [illegible] great qualities [illegible] for me [illegible] your relations to public affairs [illegible] to the pleas and sentiments of Massachusetts your intimacy of social political and sympathetic intercourse with the leading secessionists of the rebel States maintained for years and never (unless at this moment) discontinued forbid my finding any place for you in the council or the camp I am compelled sadly to declare that were I to accept your offer, I should dishearten numerous [illegible] and loyal men [illegible] to demoralize our military service How gladly I would have made another reply to you [illegible] of the [illegible] which I [illegible] I need not declare [illegible] express the painful reluctance with which I [illegible] write

Faithfully your obedient servant

JOHN A ANDREW Governor

MR LINCOLN'S DEATH

At last at just [illegible] he ceased to breathe When it became certain to all that [illegible] had taken its flight Dr Gurley dropped upon his knees by the bedside and uttered a fervent prayer Never was a supplication [illegible] to the Creator under more solemn circumstances

When it was finished most of the persons assembled began slowly to withdraw from the chamber of death I however with a few others remained We closed the eyes completely and placed silver coins upon them and with a pocket handkerchief we tied up the jaw which had already begun to fall Mr Stanton threw open the two windows of the room Just then Petersen entered and rudely drawing the upper pillow from under the head of the dead tossed it into the yard Shortly afterward we retired from the room Mr Stanton locked the door and stationed a sentry in front of it I then went into the front parlor, where I found Dr Gurley again praying Mrs Lincoln was lying upon a sofa moaning and her son Robert was standing at her head When Dr Gurley had finished his prayer Robert Lincoln assisted his mother to rise, and together we walked to the front door The President's carriage was standing before the house in the dripping rain as it had stood there all through that terrible night As Mrs Lincoln reached the doorsteps she cast a hurried glance at the theater opposite and three times repeated, "Oh that dreadful house " She was then helped into the carriage which drove away

Perhaps the most affecting incident connected with the drama occurred an hour later Mr Lincoln's body inclosed in a plain wooden box around which was wrapt the American flag was borne from the house by six private soldiers, then placed in an ordinary hearse behind which the soldiers marched like mourners, and so carried to the Executive Mansion As the cortege passed along it attracted but little attention for but few persons knew what burden was being carried past their doors It was fitting that this great man of the people—plain Uncle Abe then as in years gone by in his Western home—should pass through the silent streets of the Capital under the escort of common men

This contrasts strikingly with the following account of the manner in which the dead President was tricked out for public show on his passage to his last home

As I saw Mr Lincoln lying in state in the East room of the Executive Mansion his appearance was quite unlike what it had been immediately after his death The black had gone from his eyes and his face which had resumed a natural color The I was informed was the work of an artist The pencil had been employed to produce the change While his corpse was being carried in procession through the cities of the land before it was exposed to public gaze the coffin was opened the dust was brushed from the face and the discolored parts were retouched And so he went to his rest—*Field's Memory of Men and Women*

MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Republican State Central Committee will meet at Portland on Thursday the 19th day of February 1874 at [illegible] o'clock P M to arrange for the approaching State election and for such other business as may be deemed proper

A full attendance of the members of the Committee is desired CHAS W PARRISH Chairman

Portland Jan 2[illegible] 1874

Members of the Republican State Central Committee

Baker county	W Bruner
Benton	B W Wilson
Coos	D J Watson
Clackamas	D I Thompson
Columbia	J L Ladd
Clatsop	R R Spedden
Curry	M Riley
Douglas	D W Stearns
Grant	J W Church
Jackson	C W Savage
Josephine	Alex. Scott
Lane	W W Bristow
Linn	D W Ballard
Marion	N B Knight
Multnomah	C W Parrish
Polk	D F Nichols
Tillamook	Wm Stillwell
Umatilla	Geo Osgood
Union	M Baker
Wasco	R W Crandall
Washington	J D Merryman
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NEW TO-DAY.

FABRE

Central Market

FOR SALE

A STEAM SAW MILL SITUATED ONE HALF mile from the Car Shop with Planer and all Machinery complete The Engine is [illegible] good Tubular Boiler all in good order The Mill is capable of cutting from 10 000 to [illegible] 000 feet of lumber per day Will sell cheap for cash

Enquire of S S DOUGLASS
or GEORGE HARTNESS
Portland Oregon

jan25d1m

FISH!

DYER & CO.,

Yamhill Street, between First and Second

Have completed arrangements to fill the market with

Fresh Fish from the Sound

EVERY DAY.

PRICES MARKED DOWN

BADGER'S MUSIC STORE

Agency for the Celebrated

Hallet, Davis & Co. Piano,

AND

Geo. Woods & Co. Organ.

THE FINEST IN THE WORLD

Send for Price Lists and Catalogues to

W K BADGER
7 and 13 Sansome st San Francisco
or J B LOOMIS [illegible]
[illegible] Agent for Oregon and W T

LINSEED OIL,

BOILED AND RAW, BARRELS AND [illegible]

At the Lowest Market Rates

HODGE, CALEF & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Drugs, Paints, Oils and Glass,

97 Front Street.

STICKEEN SLEDS.

I AM PREPARED TO BUILD SLEDS FOR [illegible] [illegible]

S G BUNTING
[illegible]

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARQUE BLENHEIM, CAPTAIN [illegible] [illegible]

ALLEN & LEWIS
Consignees

Ex Bark J. A. Falkinburg,

FROM HONOLULU

2,500 KEGS SUGARS assorted grades
300 pkgs MOLASSES
For sale by ALLEN & LEWIS

ROOMS TO RENT

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED [illegible] [illegible]

NEW TO-DAY.

CHAMPION ROLLER SKATING!

A Grand Speed Race on Skates

For a GOLD MEDAL and the CHAMPIONSHIP OF OREGON will take place at the RINK on

Saturday Evening, Jan. 31, 1874.

Distance 1 mile The Race will take place precisely at half past eight

Entries—Henry Thompson [illegible]

J. S. KELLER,

Will occupy [illegible]

Stalls 1, 2 & 3, City Market,

Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

GRAND RAFFLE!

OF A

PATENT ARION PIANO,

(New) Worth $650 together with

One Wilcox & Gibbs Sewing Machine, (new)

THREE BEAUTIFUL PICTURES'

ONE WEBSTER'S DICTIONARY,

(Latest Edition) and

"A LA CALIFORNIA," (by Evans)

MAKING SEVEN PRIZES

The highest number thrown to win the Piano next highest the Sewing Machine and so on to the last. The number of chances is Eight Hundred at

ONE DOLLAR EACH

Tickets for sale at McCormick's Book Store Gray's Music Store and the principal Hotels

The articles are on exhibition in the storerooms on Alder street next door to Gray's Music Store

THE ATTENTION OF

Contractors, Builders and Country Dealers,

Is called to the fact that a full Stock of

DOORS, SASH AND BLINDS,

ALSO

WINDOW GLASS,
ENAMELED GLASS.
STAINED GLASS,
CRYSTAL SHEET,
And CUT GLASS,

IS KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND BY

J. SIMON,

56 FRONT STREET.

GLAZING DONE TO ORDER

VALENTINES!

We have just received direct from the best Manufactory in the U S a Consignment of

Fifteen Hundred Dollars

WORTH OF

VALENTINES!

They are new and beautiful styles and are put up in

$5, $10, $20, $25, $50 Lots,

And single at prices varying from 5 cts to 50 each

Dealers will please order early

J. K. GILL & CO.,

73 First Street

STORAGE.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED TO RECEIVE on Storage

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, GRAIN AND PRODUCE,

In their Warehouse on Front street just below R R Ferry Landing

BARNARD & GRISWOLD.

Something New!

JONES' SPRING BEDS!

BEST IN USE!

Cheaper and more serviceable than the Spring Mattress for sale by

BARNARD & GRISWOLD,

PORTLAND AGENTS

Front Street, next to R R Ferry Landing

SEEDS! SEEDS!

A Complete Assortment of FRESH

Field, Garden & Flower Seeds,

TREES SHRUBBERY PLANTS, BULBS

Pruning Implements and all the popular varieties of Potatoes [illegible]

SEEDS A SPECIALTY.

Orders from a distance promptly attended to

HANSON & AIKEN,

SEED DEPOT,

CENTRAL MARKET PORTLAND OREGON

jan dawlm

All Ye Who Want Rest,

BUY

THE UNIVERSAL SPRING BED!

BEST IN THE STATE!

Price only Ten Dollars!

Can be packed in small space and weighs but 25 pounds

Every Bed warranted and kept in repair for three years

H B MORRILL, Manufacturer

daw First Street bet Taylor and Yamhill

ST. HELEN'S HALL.

THE LAST TERM OF THIS SCHOOL WILL [illegible] MONDAY JAN 26 1874

For [illegible] RODNEY

FURNITURE REPAIRED

Chairs Re-Caned,

FURNITURE VARNISHED,

AND [illegible] JOBBING IN THE FURNITURE [illegible] in his [illegible]

D B BRIGGS

Washington [illegible]

GEO. GARDNER,

STALL 19 CITY MARKET,

[illegible]

Fish, Game, Poultry and Farm Produce,

[illegible]

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT [illegible] the business of [illegible] made by [illegible] HUNTINGTON

Portland Jan [illegible]

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AMUSEMENTS.

A GRAND CENTENNIAL TOAST AND TEA PARTY!

Will be given at

MASONIC HALL,

On

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS,

Jan [illegible] and [illegible]

The Musical and Elocutionary

OLDE FOLKES & YOUNG FOLKES

OF YE OLDEN TYME

[illegible]

BROTHER JONATHAN,
AUNT COLUMBIA
The Child YOUNG AMERICA,

And [illegible] will [illegible] the TOAST

A [illegible] TEA

And [illegible] PARTY

Admission to Entertainment	50 cts
Supper	50 cts

Reserved Seats [illegible] cents extra

Tickets and Reserved Seats can be secured at the Hall [illegible] Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Doors open [illegible] performance to commence at 8

Young Folks' Skating Carnival.

A Grand Masquerade Skating Carnival

ESPECIALLY FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN AND Young Folks, will take place at the Rink on

Saturday Afternoon, Jan. 31, 1874.

None will be allowed to skate on that day but those wearing costumes Parents need not have any fears of allowing their children to come as the strictest order will be kept

Those wishing to take part in the Carnival can [illegible] at the Rink

Admission for spectators 2[illegible] cents

MUSIC BY BRASS BAND.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY BALL

OF THE

German Aid Society

TO BE GIVEN AT

ANKENY'S HALL,

MONDAY, FEB. 9, 1874.

Committee of Arrangements.

FRANK DEKUM	
OTTO TREFLER	WILLIAM KAPUS
F C [illegible]WART	ADAM STAENDER

Reception Committee

HENRY EVERDING	M W FECHHEIMER
C H [illegible]SSDORFFER	WM PFUNDER
C A BURCKHARDT	B NORTHRUP

Floor Managers

WILLIAM KAPUS	
ADAM STAENDER	CH HEGELE
J KRUMBEIN	JOSEPH BACHMAN

DANCING SCHOOL.

Corner Front and 1st Streets

PROF CARDINELL HAS OPENED HIS ACADEMY for the reception of pupils

Evening Classes on Monday and Thursday evenings Children's Class Saturday afternoon

SOIREE every Saturday evening

INSURANCE.

FIREMAN'S FUND Insurance Co. of California,

SHOWING ITS

FINANCIAL CONDITION DEC 31, 1873.

The following figures are on a gold basis

CAPITAL STOCK, fully paid $300,000 00

Assets.

Cash on hand in Company's Office	[illegible]
Cash in Bank of California	[illegible]
Cash in Sather & Co	[illegible]
Cash in Laidlaw & Co, Agency Bank of California New York	3471 [illegible]
Cash in Union National Bank Chicago	1667 19
United States Bonds	[illegible]
Loans on Bond and Mortgage	[illegible]
Bills Receivable secured by collaterals	[illegible]
Real Estate unincumbered	160 000 00
Furniture	4 893 11
Marine premium notes	[illegible]
Interest due on mortgages	[illegible]
Taxes paid on property secured by mortgage	[illegible]
Salvage claims for losses paid	[illegible]
All other property	[illegible]
Balance in hands of Manager and in due course of transmission	[illegible]
Premiums in course of collection	[illegible]
Gross Assets	[illegible]

Liabilities.

[illegible]

Reinsurance Reserve.

[illegible]

Business of 1873—Income

[illegible]

Expenditures

[illegible]

Losses paid on Marine [illegible]

Dividends [illegible]

Taxes State and National

Eastern [illegible] payable—(30 day drafts given in payment of Boston losses maturing in January and February

Commissions and brokerage

Salaries fees etc

All other expenditures for Home Eastern and Western Departments

[illegible]

Total Expenditures [illegible]

Losses Incurred during the Year.

[illegible]

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

[illegible]

The F[illegible] [illegible]

EDWARD HALL Manager

[illegible]

HOME

MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

Fire and Marine Insurance

Capital..........$1,000,000

[illegible]

DIRECTORS

Oregon Branch

[illegible]

HAMILTON BOYD,

[illegible] Oregon and Washington Territory

CAPTAIN'S NOTICE.

BRITISH [illegible] OF LIMA CAPTAIN [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] & MACLEAY

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steamship

AJAX,

FRED BOLLES Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of [illegible] street for the above port

TUESDAY FEB 3, 1874,

At 10 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner of F and Front streets

GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

FOR VICTORIA, PORT TOWNSEND, SEATTLE, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE, AND SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO S Steam Propeller

CALIFORNIA,

JOHN HAYES Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F street for the above ports

TUESDAY, FEB. 10, 1874,

At 10 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner of F and Front streets

GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

STEAMER ZEPHYR,

Will leave SEATTLE for SNOHOMISH RIVER every MONDAY returning same day

For TACOMA, STEILACOOM and OLYMPIA, TUESDAY and FRIDAY Returning WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY

Any person wishing to connect with ZEPHYR for down Sound Ports can do so by leaving Portland on TUESDAY and FRIDAY until further notice

J. R. ROBBINS, Owner

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RIVER STEAMERS.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock A M.

FOR ASTORIA—Monday Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M S G REED Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's STEAMBOATS.

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept 2d the steamer

E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7 30 A M for Portland returning will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2 30 P M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 8:15 A M connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Monday, Wednesday and Friday connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 3 P M on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Portland

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C R R Co at REDUCED RATES

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE

Freight received until 5 P M

J D BILES Agent.

Willamette River Transportation Co.'s STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE

FLANDERS' WHARF AT 6 o'clock A. M.

As follows

FOR CORVALLIS AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Wednesday and Friday

FOR ALBANY AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS—Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday and Friday

FOR DAYTON AND McMINNVILLE—Saturday and Monday

Passage to Corvallis	$3 00
Passage to Albany	1 50
Passage to Salem	1 00
Passage to McMinnville	1 00

B GOLDSMITH President

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS W. TROUP Master

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver at 2 30 P M

Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A M

For freight or passage apply on board

The Steamer Calliope

WILL MAKE TRI WEEKLY TRIPS between

Portland, Monticello and Freeport,

Leaving American Exchange Wharf every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock A M call ing at Lewis River on Wednesday up and Thursday down

For Freight or Passage apply on board

RUMMELIN & GUTMANN,

56 First Street

Between Stark and Oak Portland

Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furs,

Have just opened a select and full Stock of

LADIES' MISSES' & GENTLEMEN'S

FURS!

The largest and only complete Stock in Oregon.

THE MOST FASTIDIOUS SUITED

We invite the Ladies and public generally to examine our Stock We can and will try to suit all in Prices and Quality in Goods Our stock is fresh and warranted sound

AN EXTRA FINE QUALITY OF

KAMSCHATKA SABLE,

HUDSON BAY SABLE, SITKA SABLE,

ROYAL ERMINE, and

CANADA MINK,

PRESERVED ESPECIALLY FOR ORDERS

Orders [illegible] promptly attended to [illegible]

NOTICE.

HAVING THIS DAY CLOSED OUT MY [illegible] [illegible]

MRS A LEVY

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE

THE [illegible] HAVING [illegible]

[illegible]

FAMILY DRY GOODS BLANKETS [illegible]

JOHN WILSON

$100--SOLDIERS--$200.

FOR EXTRA TRAVEL PAY OF CALIFORNIA [illegible] apply to W H AIKEN [illegible] San Francisco

d30dawlm

AUCTION AND COMMISSION.

A. B. RICHARDSON,

AUCTIONEER

COR. OF FRONT AND OAK STS.

Auction Sales

OF REAL ESTATE GROCERIES GENERAL MERCHANDISE AND HORSES

Sale Days---Wednesday and Saturday.

At Private Sale.

Large assortment of GROCERIES and LIQUORS. Liberal advances made on Consignments.

To parties declining Housekeeping I will mention that I will purchase Second Hand Furniture

A B RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Regular and Peremptory Sale

OF

FURNITURE, GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS,

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, ETC.

I will sell at my Auction Salesroom on

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 28, 1873,

At 10 o'clock A M

BUTTER.

8 kegs Walla Walla BUTTER

ALSO

DRY GOODS.

CLOTHING LACES HATS and CAPS

ALSO

3-Ply CARPETS OIL CLOTHS

ALSO

GROCERIES.

200 bxs Candles,
[illegible] kegs S I Syrup,
1[illegible] bxs O O Soap
50 bxs I X L Soap
75 bxs L. B. Soap

ALSO

Parlor Diningroom and Kitchen Furniture

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GEO. L. STORY,

No. 45 FRONT STREET,

OFFERS FOR SALE

PAINTS, OILS, WHITE LEAD

Varnishes, Brushes, Glass, Etc.

ATLANTIC WHITE LEAD;

Various Cheaper Brands do. do.;

FRENCH AND AMERICAN ZINC;

METALLIC PAINT;

VARNISHES, English and American.

OILS.

BOILED AND RAW LINSEED;

LARD, DOG FISH, SEAL;

PARAFFINE and MACHINERY;

COAL OIL, Downer's Boston;

" " Cheaper Brands

WINDOW GLASS

WALL PAPER.

BLUE LICK WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whiskey I am in receipt of an invoice of the same, in barrels half barrels and case which I am prepared to offer to the trade, at jobbing rates

H. FLECKENSTEIN,
SOLE AGENT,

Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors,

No 147 First, near Taylor street.

REMOVAL.

J L. ATKINSON	D W WAKEFIELD
Notary Public	Notary Public.

ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD,

Real Estate Agents,

PITTOCK'S BUILDING STARK & FRONT STS.

Farms and City Property Bought and Sold. Money loaned on approved security Legal Papers Executed and Acknowledgments Taken Houses Rented and Rents Collected

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TEACHERS OF

PLAIN COMMERCIAL AND ORNAMENTAL

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TEACHING THE BEST AND SIMPLEST SYSTEM of Penmanship known We are prepared to insure a better and more rapid improvement for Pupils than is ordinarily accomplished by any Teacher Private or Class instruction given as desired All kinds of Engrossing Mapping Business and Visiting Card Writing &c done neatly and with dispatch Linen indelibly marked with the Pen in elegant designs Books posted, accurately ROOMS—West side of Third street, between Morrison and Yamhill Open from 7 A M to 9 P M

EVERY DAY!

ASCHENHEIM,

120 First Street,

RECEIVES FROM TACOMA PER N P R R.

Fresh Cod, Halibut, Flounders,

Which he offers at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

SCHOOL FURNITURE

Made a Specialty

Church and Hall Settees.

[illegible] Also

Office Desks.

The celebrated [illegible] SCHOOL DESK [illegible] [illegible] send for Catalogue

GILBERT & MOORE,

[illegible] San Francisco

[illegible]

FRANKLIN BROS. & CO.

[illegible]

HARRIS & PRAGER CLOTHIERS

[illegible]

Corner of Front and Alder Streets.

THEY WILL SELL AT

AUCTION PRICES!

NEW GOODS TO ARRIVE

WM. CHURCH & SON,

HAVE ON HAND A FEW NEW FAMILY SINGER SEWING MACHINES, which they offer at 20 PER CENT LESS than the usual rates

Also one second hand GROVER & BAKER and WHEELER & WILSON at $20 each

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The Daily Oregoni

WEDNESDAY MORNING JAN

CITY.

ANOTHER ROPE THIEF —Joseph H[illegible] arrested on Monday at Astoria and br[illegible] this city last evening Howard is char[illegible] having been the ringleader in the steal[illegible] large coil of rope from the ship *Tus[illegible]* that vessel was in port The defend[illegible] employed by the consignees of the [illegible] watchman on board during the night [illegible] received for his services $5 per da[illegible] claimed that Howard during most of t[illegible] the vessel was lying here managed to [illegible] [illegible] trunk and also [illegible] crew to desert so that he might [illegible] all thus obtain the reward offered [illegible] he made arrangements for several [illegible] to desert Under cover of darkness or [illegible] sailor was to come alongside in a sma[illegible] when the deserters were gotten in and [illegible] was to lower their clothes over the [illegible] vessel According to [illegible] at the boat its appearance at the [illegible] appointed [illegible] stead of the clothes Howard lowered [illegible] coil of rope By his orders the coil w[illegible] away and secreted in a building near t[illegible] yard where it was subsequently dis[illegible] by the police officers Three other [illegible] are implicated in the theft Hansen [illegible] and Lyons These three parties were [illegible] last week arraigned waived an exami[illegible] and were each held to answer the ch[illegible] the sum of $250 The officers have [illegible] the trail of Howard for some time a[illegible] withstanding his vigilance have at [illegible] nipped him While the *Tus[illegible]* was [illegible] the mate lost a [illegible] glass a[illegible] a lot of silver ware belonging to the vess[illegible] there are good [illegible] for suspecti[illegible] Howard played a [illegible] in the[illegible] Since being brought to this city Howa[illegible] [illegible] admitted that he had stolen a larg[illegible] [illegible] from the *T[illegible]* [illegible] placed it on b[illegible] *Gate* [illegible] The hawser will weigh [illegible] hundred pounds and was worth at lea[illegible] Present prospects are [illegible] that the [illegible] and and some of [illegible] [illegible] take a contract [illegible] brick [illegible] State's expense

AUTOMATIC [illegible] —[illegible] were shown [illegible] patent automatic car [illegible] lately [illegible] H R [illegible]

[illegible]

CARELESS [illegible] notwithstanding [illegible] dangerous o[illegible] [illegible] last meeting o[illegible] [illegible] the street at that [illegible] [illegible] against travel A few barrels [illegible] were placed at intervals across [illegible] were laid piec[illegible] Several of the barrels have [illegible] [illegible] accident or intention[illegible] [illegible] is very [illegible] [illegible] the street Lo[illegible] [illegible] wagons were [illegible] [illegible] the result [illegible] a heavy bill of [illegible] [illegible] any one that [illegible] [illegible] liable to c[illegible] [illegible] place a stro[illegible] [illegible] regard to [illegible] limb sh[illegible] drive over this portion of the street Know[illegible] it condition

[illegible] Astoria [illegible] with a fellow [illegible] failed to re[illegible] [illegible] Fred Kelley [illegible] [illegible] the streets [illegible] robbed [illegible] valued at $70 The Astorians [illegible] the high handed outrage [illegible] [illegible] are now in jail awaiting a free p[illegible] Salem

AVOID TROUBLE —Taxes and licenses [illegible] [illegible] his temper Drivers of express wagons, [illegible] promptly paying their quarterly licens[illegible] [illegible] generally require a slight reminder [illegible] Chief Lappeus in the form of a warrant [illegible] [illegible] they will come squarely to the cen[illegible] Yesterday morning, three express dr[illegible] [illegible] respectively Glasgow Scolder[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Police Court [illegible] [illegible] that they were glad to pay and [illegible] [illegible] take out their licenses

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WEDNESDAY MORNING JAN 28 1874

CITY.

Another Rope Thief.—Joseph Howard was arrested on Monday at Astoria, and brought to this city last evening. Howard is charged with having been the ringleader in the stealing of a large coil of rope from the ship *Tongoy*, while that vessel was in port. The defendant was employed by the consignees of the ship to watch on board during the night time. He received for his services $5 per day. It is claimed that Howard, during most of the time the vessel was lying here, managed to keep the captain beastly drunk and encouraged the crew to desert so that he might capture them and thus obtain the reward offered. One night he made arrangements for several of an [illegible] to desert. Under cover of darkness one of the sailors was to come alongside in a small boat when the deserters were to get in and Howard was to lower their clothes over the side of the vessel. According to the plan the boat made its appearance at the hour appointed. But instead of the clothes Howard lowered a large coil of rope. By his orders the coil was taken away, and secreted in a building near the bone yard where it was subsequently discovered by the police officers. Three other sailors are implicated in the theft—Hansen, Mooney and Lyons. These three parties were arrested last week, arraigned, waived an examination and were each held to answer the charge in the sum of $250. The officers have been on the trail of Howard for some time, and notwithstanding his vigilance, have at length nipped him. While the *Tongoy* was in port the mate lost an elegant opera glass, and also a lot of silver ware belonging to the vessel, and there are good reasons for suspecting that Howard played a "lively fist" in the theft. Since being brought to this city Howard partially admitted that he had stolen a large hawser from the *Tongoy* and placed it on board the *Gateshead*. This hawser would weigh several hundred pounds and was worth at least $100. Present prospects are quite brilliant that Howard and some of his accomplices in crime will take a contract for manufacturing brick at the State's expense.

Automatic Car Coupling.—Yesterday we were shown a patent automatic car coupling lately invented by Colonel H. R. Leonard of this city. The invention is a decided improvement over all previous ones on which patents have been obtained. From the appearance of the model and a practical demonstration of its automatic mode of attachment and detachment, we should conclude that the invention approximates as near perfection as is possible. By means of this car coupling, trains can be made more rapidly with more precision than with the present clumsy, man killing attachments and without the least risk to human life. All the brakeman has to do is to draw the pins out at each side of the coupling and step back out of danger. The instant the ends of the "bumpers" touch a slide to which is attached a spring causes both pins to descend through the links and the cars are coupled in an instant. The history of railroads demonstrates the fact that a large proportion of the accidents which occur almost daily in running trains happen in coupling and uncoupling cars. The design of this invention is first, to save life and limb, and second to save time and labor. A patent has been applied for by the inventor and the model was forwarded last evening by steamer to Washington.

Careless Driving.—Notwithstanding the fact that First street at the intersection of Stark was reported to be in a dangerous condition and is so generally regarded by the public, we observe teams passing to and fro at all hours of the day. At the last meeting of the Common Council the Superintendent of Streets was instructed to keep the street at that point barricaded against travel. A few barrels we believe, were placed at intervals across the street on the tops of which were laid pieces of timber. Several of the barrels have been thrown down by accident or intentionally and the consequence is that travel is very little if any diverted from the street. Loaded teams carriages and express wagons were observed yesterday to drive over and around the edges of the cistern. Now the result of all this will be a heavy bill of damages for the city to pay some of these days. A glance at the street will convince any one that it is dangerous to attempt to cross with a team. At any time the whole pavement is liable to cave in to a depth of twelve or fifteen feet, when shaken by teams. In the first place, a stronger barricade ought to be placed across the street and second no person with any regard to his own and others safety of life or limb should drive over that portion of the street knowing its condition.

Fighting Murphy!—This community has long been afflicted with periodical visits from a member of the tonsorial craft who supports the unique but profane sobriquet of Fighting or H—l Roaring Murphy. Every few months this individual swoops down, gets on a spree, and brings up with a couple of bleared eyes in the city jail for about ten days. A few days ago he came down like a wolf on the fold on the peace-loving village of Astoria. He celebrated his advent in that orderly hamlet by getting into a fisticuff with a fellow who administered such a thrashing to the bellicose Murphy that even his own dog failed to recognize him. A few nights following this melancholy episode, Murphy formed the acquaintance of a thief and rounder known as Green Eyed Kelley. These worthies fell aboard an unsophisticated farmer, knocked him down on the streets and under the friendly cover of darkness, robbed the honest yeoman of sundry dollars of hard cash and a watch and chain, valued at $70. The Astorians duly punished the high-handed outrage and Murphy and Kelley are now in jail awaiting a free pass to Salem.

Avoid Trouble.—Taxes and licenses are generally considered debts which are honest enough after a way, but the liquidation of which may be shirked as long as it is safe to do so. In fact, we do not now remember ever hearing a man—especially a wealthy one—speak about paying his taxes without losing his temper. Drivers of express wagons about the city entertain these conscientious scruples about promptly paying their quarterly license and generally require a slight reminder from Chief Lappeus in the form of a warrant before they will come square with the enter. Yesterday morning, three express drivers named respectively Glasgow, Schildermon and Lafferty, who had delayed long but not wisely, were arraigned in Police Court. Finding themselves in for it they were glad to pay all costs and take out their licenses.

List of Passengers.—The steamer *Oriflamme* which sailed last evening for San Francisco carried away the following passengers: Mark Davis and wife, W H Avery, wife and two children, L P Herman, E P Fitzgerald, A C Fearn, L D Lamb, wife and infant, Dr T T Miner and wife, Mrs C Levy, M Koshland, C A Lamb, Sam Lowenstein, P Selling, Mr Wilson, Mrs D Crimm, Marl A King, Lewis Park, Mrs B Gallagher, W K Badger, J H McGroy, J B Moor, A P Dennison, L J Hastings, J W Cook, G W Hobart, M Sellar, W B Daniels, Geo Hume, Wm L Pradstow, wife and two children, Mrs L Dodge, Mrs Frances Henley, L B Kimberly, I M Hoffman, R A Sanders, Mrs Lovelace and children, H Conbrough, James Laidlaw, Wells Fargo & Co's messenger [illegible]

Steamer Ajax.—This steamer sailed from San Francisco for Portland yesterday, bringing the following passengers: [illegible] Vaughn, John Lyon, [illegible] Wong Hong Kon, [illegible]

Weather Report.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, January 27, 1874:

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wind direction	Calm	S W	[illegible]
Velocity miles per hour			
Weather	Foggy	Cloudy	[illegible]
Rainfall		0	[illegible]

Bark Rival.—This vessel will complete her cargo for San Francisco to-day and be taken down the river by the *Ben Holladay*. Her cargo will consist of flour, salmon, &c.

Holidays over—B L Stone is offering a full assortment of jewelry at a reduction.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

E L BUDLONG ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF BEING THE PERPETRATOR OF THE ROBBERY OF WELLS FARGO & CO'S EXPRESS AT KALAMA

Although not generally known to the public the affair was kept very quiet at the time a young man known as E. L. Budlong was arrested in Portland on the evening of the day Wells Fargo & Co's express box was robbed ($8000 in currency) at Kalama. Budlong is [illegible] left Kalama on the *Fanny Troup* a very short time subsequent to the robbery of the express. There were certain circumstances connected with the event which seemed to point the finger of suspicion toward Budlong as being in some manner involved in the commission of the grave offense. His sudden and unexpected departure from Kalama was one strong circumstance adverse to the theory of his entire innocence or ignorance of the affair. Telegrams were sent immediately to this city to Chief Lappeus to arrest Budlong on his arrival at Portland. This request was complied with and the suspected party quietly arrested when he stepped on the wharf. He was taken to the office of the Chief, searched carefully and questioned very closely. Nothing was found on his person to confirm the suspicions entertained and his answers, although given a little cautiously and not without a degree of nervousness, betrayed no direct indication of guilt or complicity in the affair. He was also taken to the office of Wells Fargo & Co and questioned. He feigned ignorance of the whole affair and said he was not aware that any robbery had been committed until he learned the fact on reaching Portland, affirming repeatedly his entire innocence. On the following morning officer McCoy started for Kalama accompanied by Budlong. There being nothing of a character to warrant the further holding of Budlong he was released on reaching Kalama. Officer McCoy, H C Fagan and other employes of the railroad and express companies then began to trace out the mysterious robbery.

Budlong has been out of employment for some time. Several weeks ago he made application to Wells Fargo & Co for a situation as messenger but there was no opening at that time for him. Being an intimate friend of Mr Fagan, the operator and express agent at Kalama, Budlong made the office a sort of headquarters. He was not regularly employed or authorized to act in any capacity about the offices but being deemed reliable and trustworthy he often assisted Mr Fagan, and was very handy sometimes when there was a rush of business. By this means he became thoroughly conversant with every department both of the telegraph and express offices.

On Wednesday—the day on which the robbery took place—the box containing the $8000 in currency and the $15,000 in coin was taken from the boat into the office, when it was opened in the presence of Budlong, the waybills examined and also the contents. Everything was found all right. Mr Fagan employed a colored man, familiarly known as "Frenchy," whose particular duty was to convey the packages of express matter from the office to the depot, place them in the car and remain by them until the arrival of the other train from the north. When the train arrived Mr Pierce the Messenger stepped on board, took possession of the express matter and thus relieved "Frenchy." Budlong on several occasions assisted Frenchy in carrying the packages, especially when any of them were heavy. The box which contained the money was quite heavy, and Budlong assisted his colored friend. After everything was placed in the car before the other train arrived, Budlong asked "Frenchy" to carry a letter for him and deliver it to a certain lady he named residing a short distance away. "Frenchy" rather hesitated about leaving the box, but Budlong assured him that it was all right, he would stay in the car until his return. To further induce the porter Budlong offered him a half dollar to perform the errand. So "Frenchy" took the letter and the money and started off. A man named Stewart who was standing a little distance away, states that soon after Frenchy left, he heard the click of a padlock in the car like the box was being opened. He did not know Budlong at the time, but as he had frequently seen him about the Express office he supposed he was an agent or assistant and had a right to open the box and so paid no particular attention to the circumstance. Stewart also stated that a few minutes after Frenchy took his departure he observed Budlong get out of the car and walk hastily away up town. Soon after he was met by "Frenchy" on his return, who asked him why he left the box, to which Budlong replied "The box is all right. I stand until I saw you coming." Very soon after this the train arrived and Mr Pierce took possession of the box. That gentleman did not perceive anything wrong until he started to open the box just this side of Cowlitz Station. The first thing which attracted his attention was a piece of lead in the key hole of the padlock. He called the conductor's attention to the fact, which officer opened his knife and cut the lead out by pieces. When the box was opened and the contents examined the loss was detected at once.

Suspicion was directed for a time toward Mr Pierce until his innocence was proven beyond all question by the circumstances of the robbery. "Frenchy" next came in for his share of suspicion as the box was known to have been placed in his custody, but he told his story which is confirmed by Mr Stewart, a stranger to both parties, and thus laid the commission of the robbery at Budlong's door. The padlock could not be opened except by an exact duplicate key, but as he was about the office a great deal there were abundant opportunities for whittling out the lead key which had undoubtedly been employed in effecting an entrance to the box. Within half an hour from the time the robbery was committed Budlong was on his way to Portland. If he took the money, and indications are strongly in favor of that supposition, he must have hastily secreted it before coming on board the *Fanny Troup*, as he had no money on his person when searched by Chief Lappeus.

There being numerous circumstances to confirm suspicions and sufficient to warrant an arrest, Budlong was taken again into custody yesterday morning by officer McCoy. The preliminary examination will take place this afternoon at Kalama when the exact state of facts will be elicited.

Budlong is a young man not to exceed 25 years of age. He is of prepossessing appearance, pleasing address and came here with excellent recommendations for business capacity and integrity. He has not been here long, we believe, and until the present affair was generally regarded as a young man in every respect worthy of esteem and confidence. It is to be hoped that he may succeed in establishing his innocence although there is a knotty web of unfortunate circumstances for him to unravel. No clue as to the whereabouts of the money has been obtained but the Company will leave no stone unturned to recover the lost currency. By to-morrow we shall doubtless be able to chronicle more satisfactory results.

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY Jan 27 1873

Eldridge assignee vs Jackson & Chalmers, hearing on motion to set aside [illegible] and for a new trial argued and submitted.

Adjourned to Tuesday next.

U S CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY J

Antone Peral [illegible] vs Mary C [illegible], on motion to strike out part of complaint argued and objections [illegible] to first and second [illegible]

Adjourned to Monday next.

COUNTY COURT—[illegible]

IN PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of [illegible] [illegible]

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

[illegible] consideration $[illegible]

[illegible] the *S H* [illegible] She will be taken down to Astoria, and from thence proceed to sea the first opportunity.

If you want watches, clocks, jewelry or mounting go to Jos McNamara, 101 First st.

EIGHTH LECTURE

PROF CONDON ON THE MINES AND MINERALS OF OREGON

The heavy rain of last evening somewhat lessened the attendance at Masonic Hall, but nevertheless a very fair representation of our citizens was present to hear Prof Condon upon the subject of Oregon's Mines and Minerals. The speaker introduced the subject by stating that the elementary deposits upon the earth were of an average thickness of over [illegible] and that it would be readily seen that the vast mineral resources of the earth would have been less had not the breaking of the earth's crust and the upheaval [illegible] brought the minerals nearer the surface than they were originally deposited. [illegible] and tilt up and bring the strata which hold these minerals [illegible] would [illegible] into the earth for any mineral—not even gold.

Among the most important and conferring the most benefits on man of all the minerals is

KING COAL

In the world of physics we have great sources of [illegible]—heat, motion, electricity, galvanism, chemical power, etc. The first great formative agent was water. Afterwards heat was applied and we had the steam engine, then electricity was brought into the service of man. Just now the great want of the world is [illegible] its machinery between the forces of heat and motion. In order to raise heat, fuel is necessary and coal of all kinds of fuel is found to be the most economical as to the cost and space, making it the great *desideratum* when the transportation is considered. It has more heat in a smaller space than any other article of equal abundance in the world. It is the mainspring of the world's industries and long before the coal beds are exhausted other forces will be found out requiring less heat and fuel, the latter of which is now industry's great want. Commerce depends upon it and it has become the measure of a nation's ability and strength in peace and in war.

THE ORIGIN OF COAL

The old idea that coal was created or formed by miraculous power was entertained for a long time before the developments of science showed that there exists no fact in the natural world that did not have, lying by its side, other facts fully explanatory of its existence. All minerals, coal among them, have these explanations upon which we may account for their existence. Sometimes it will be found with the leaf impressions or with shell imbedded in it, already indicating the period and manner of its formation. With these facts before us it is no part of duty or piety for us to say its existence is attributable to miraculous causes.

Another theory is that it is the remains of buried drift wood. Large drifts, such as the United States Government once ordered cut out of Red river, the clearing of which took a large number of men for more than two years, are brought down from the timbered regions and floating out into the ocean where there is no current and becoming water-logged sink and become material for future coal beds. Some of the coal indicates this in its origin. In this there are no leaf impressions, while in other beds are found leaves and fruit of the trees and plants peculiar to the period in which the coal was formed.

Still another theory is that of former extensive peat bogs. In these places great trees fell prostrate where they grew and were covered by this peat moss and became carbonized by the chemical agency of moisture. Shallow lagoons in a damp climate are always liable to be the locality of coal beds. If all the coal in the world was where the materials which compose it originally stood, man everywhere would be abundantly supplied. The trees, leaves, shells and fossils found in coal beds always tell to what period the mass of coal belongs. The carboniferous period had the trees and plants peculiar to it, another class of trees conifers found in other coal indicate its formation to have been between the carboniferous and cretaceous period. The coal containing maples, beach and alder belong to the tertiary period and men call the coal of this period lignite coal.

STRUCTURE OF COAL

Coal in its first stage is peat, in its second lignite, either brown or black. In peat the change is hardly perceptible, in brown lignite it is limited, but in black lignite it is much altered. Anthracite coal, which is generally or always found near mountains, is not confined to any period. The peculiar term applied to this variety conveys the idea that it has undergone certain changes produced by great heat. Still more intense heat produces plumbago or blacklead out of the same material.

DISTRIBUTION OF COAL

The coal of the carboniferous period abounds in the Eastern States. One bed extends through seven States is 875 miles long, beginning in Alabama, running up into the mountains of Pennsylvania and is perhaps the finest coal region in the world. The material for this vast bed of fuel was deposited ages ago in the trough or depression then a sea which extended parallel to the Atlantic Coast. The same variety of coal is found also in the States of Kentucky, Illinois and Indiana, east of the Mississippi river and west of that stream in parts of Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa. Coal in which trees peculiar to the secondary period are found exists in North Carolina near Richmond, Va, and in Nova Scotia. The coal in which we of Oregon are most interested belongs to the tertiary period. Such as is found at Nanaimo, Bellingham Bay, Seattle and Coos Bay, the last having the most solid appearance and most nearly resembling anthracite. All these are tertiary and are called lignite, but in comparison with some specimens of anthracite from Pennsylvania are rather favorable to the Oregon article, and when men call our coal "lignite" we should not the more of it as the speaker did with his theology when it was pronounced heresy. If the peat on Scotland's hills or in Ireland's bogs or the mountains of Germany were called coal we protest against the [illegible] called lignite English cannel coal [illegible] positive lignite appearance showing the grain like wood, but is accounted the best in the world. She [illegible] and often is impregnated so completely with petroleum as to be a most excellent material for making gas.

SIGNS OF COAL

Coal is not always found in large bed. A ledge or even a bed may be carbonized and no other be found near. Some persons once discovered a log of coal [illegible] a cascade and at once concluding they had found a great mine, [illegible] and organized a company, opened a stock book, elected officers and made [illegible] for working the mine, but upon further search found no other coal anywhere near. It is not so much the quality as the quantity of the coal that we want and the [illegible] at Nanaimo, Bellingham Bay, Seattle, Coos Bay [illegible]

[illegible]

It was proclaimed at B L Stone's [illegible] beautiful set of jewelry more on hand

A TIN WEDDING.

A large number of our most prominent citizens accompanied by their ladies, besides several ladies and gentlemen from abroad, assembled at the residence of Gen. E. B. Babbitt last evening, and all being in readiness the assembly invaded the elegant mansion of Capt. J. C. Ainsworth and took the spacious parlors which were filled with guests who had kept the matter a secret and their coming was naturally a surprise to the host and hostess. The object of this social gathering was to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Capt. J. C. Ainsworth to Miss Fanny Babbitt, daughter of Gen. E. B. Babbitt. This then, was the Tin Wedding, and many guests therefore brought tinware worked into useful as well as ornamental designs. Among the curiosities were a [illegible] basket containing slippers, [illegible] appropriate, [illegible] with wedding cards and names of the host and hostess inscribed thereon, [illegible] bearing two verses addressed to Capt. A. and lady, [illegible] filled with fresh flowers, [illegible] knife, fork and steel, palm leaf and extension fan, cake covered with icing, walking cane, hat brackets, apple corer, etc. Mrs Ainsworth was highly decorated with tinware, representing earrings, comb, pins, chain, &c., as was Capt. Ainsworth with anchor, hat, &c.

The north parlors were occupied by those who desired to trip the light fantastic, while the east parlor was devoted to the display of the tinware, and in the south parlor was spread a sumptuous repast of which all present partook freely. The hall and in fact all the lower floor was filled with people. The manner in which all seemed to pass the time assured us that the host and hostess were a whole-souled, estimable couple and know how to entertain. Surrounded as they were by their aged parents and their own children, what more pleasing picture could be imagined? From 8 to 12 o'clock the scene was a brilliant as well as a happy one. Without occupying too much of the reader's time we will note those in attendance. We observed Mr and Mrs S G Reed, Mr and Mrs General Jeff C Davis, Mr and Mrs C H Lewis, Mr and Mrs Chas H Calef, Rev T L Elliot and lady, Mr and Mrs James Steel, Dr A J Landsley and lady, Mr and Mrs J B Congle, Bishop Morris and lady, Mr and Mrs B G Whitehouse, Judge Strong and lady, Mr and Mrs Edw Quackenbush, Mr and Mrs M S Burrell, Rev Geo H Atkinson and lady, Mr and Mrs H L Hoyt, Mr and Mrs D Burnside, Mr and Mrs C W Burrage, Mr and Mrs N I Ingalls, Mr and Mrs Wesley Jackson, Mr and Mrs Henry Hudson, Mr and Mrs General E B Babbitt, Mr and Mrs Theo Wygant, General G W Sprague and lady, Mr and Mrs W B Gilbert, Mr and Mrs L G Randall, Mr and Mrs Frank Goodwin, Major Boyle and lady, Mr and Mrs G I Withington, Mr and Mrs I M Warren, Mr and Mrs George L Story, Mr and Mrs Dr J H Hatch, Mr and Mrs John R Foster, Mr and Mrs Dr Glisan, Col Sumner, U S A, and lady, Mr and Mrs J S Barnard, Mr and Mrs Hosmer of Tacoma, Mrs Annie Reed, Mrs W S Ladd, Mrs Dr R B Wilson, Mrs A D Whiting, Mrs Amory Holbrook, Mrs Judge Upton, Mrs R P Thompson, Mrs Lumns Arnold, Mrs S C Wingard of Olympia, Mrs General A J Lovejoy, Miss Emma Millard, Misses Lila and Emma Strong, Misses Linsley, Miss Stevens of Olympia, Misses Hensill, Miss Edith Upton, Miss Alice Henderson, Misses Rodney, Miss C E Batchelder, Miss Piper, Miss Ada Lovejoy, Henry Failing Esq, Colonel Henry W Janes U S A, James S Reed Esq, L S Smith Esq of Kalama, Dr C C Strong, J D Whiting Esq, Drs H E Jones and J T Ghiselin U S A, Edward Cunningham Esq, Thomas Robertson Esq, Messrs Cook of Tacoma, W G Dillingham Esq and others we are compelled to omit, owing to the fact that we were unable to procure the names. The above comprises the major portion of those present. All who had the pleasure of taking part in the festivities will long have occasion to remember the happy event.

PERSONAL

This is from the Salt Lake *Tribune* of the 14th inst in regard to a well known ministerial gentleman formerly of Portland: "Rev. Mr Stratton on Sunday evening prefaced his lecture by acknowledging the much useful information he had derived, in preparing his discourses, from Mr Stenhouse's Rocky Mountain Saints. He commended this standard work as containing not only a full and reliable history of the Mormon Church, but as giving a more correct exhibit of their religious faith and observances than any other similar work."

SYMPTOMS OF LIVER COMPLAINT.—A sallow or yellow color of the skin, or yellowish brown spots on face and other parts of body, dullness and drowsiness, with frequent headache, dizziness, bitter or bad taste in mouth, dryness of throat and internal heat, palpitation, in many cases a dry, teasing cough, with sore throat, unsteady appetite, raising of food, choking sensation in throat, distress, heaviness, bloated or full feeling about stomach and sides, pain in sides, back or breast, and about shoulders, colic pain and soreness through bowels, with heat, constipation alternating with frequent diarrhœa, piles, flatulence, nervousness, coldness of extremities, rush of blood to head, with symptoms of apoplexy, numbness of limbs, especially at night, chills alternating with hot flushes, kidney and urinary difficulties, dullness, low spirits, unsociability and gloomy forebodings. Only a few of the above symptoms likely to be present at one time. All who use Dr Pierce's Alt. Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery for Liver Complaint and its complications are loud in its praise.

A CURE FOR LIVER DISEASE

Texas, May 10th, 1872

D. P. A. PIERCE

Dear Sir—My wife last year at this time was confined to her bed with Chronic Liver Disease. I had one of the best doctors to see her and he gave her up to die. [illegible] came upon some of your medicine. [illegible] bottle and commenced giving it. She then weighed [illegible] lbs, now she weighs [illegible], and is robust and hearty. She has taken eight bottles in all. So you see I am an advocate for your Medicine.

WM MEAZEL

The retention of the same customers year after year is the highest commendation a business firm can receive. It proves that those who know the house best are those who have the most frequently tested its merits. This is true of BECK & WALDMAN, who, in addition to hosts of new customers, the faces of old friends are constantly to be seen. Their goods have been marked down as they [illegible] to close out to make room for Spring stock.

Rare bargains at B L Stone's jewelry store. Be sure to call this evening.

REMOVAL—CLOSING OUT

EMIL LOWENSTEIN & CO have removed their remaining stock of Carpets, Furniture, [illegible] to the brick store No 101 First Street, next to Odd Fellows' building, where they will close them out at [illegible]

[illegible]

Champions of the Red Cross.—[illegible]

Pacific Lodge No 15 I O O F.—[illegible]

Samaritan Lodge No 2 I O O F.—[illegible]

[illegible]

A M BOYLE & CO, Druggists and Chemists, [illegible] Washington st, San Francisco

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Moderating up the Columbia.

Yesterday would remind one of spring.

Several vessels now due from San Francisco.

No lack of diversions in the way of balls and parties.

Croup is prevailing, to some extent in the city at present.

In consequence of the crowded state of our columns we are obliged to postpone mention of our new advertisers.

We observed a fellow sitting down on Fourth street yesterday without any invitation. He now thinks there are far more pleasant ways of breaking the sidewalk.

The little steamer *Hamlet*, which has been lying near the Iron Works for some time having repairs made to her boiler, steamed up a few days ago and passed up the river. Destination unknown.

An exchange tells about a huge arm chair on exhibition at their office and advertises for an editor of the requisite physical proportions to fill it. The legs of this enormous easy chair are of saplings with the bark on, four or five inches in diameter, and each of the arms spreads out into a flat surface half as large as a dining table. We think there is but one editor in Portland who could *fill* that chair.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL	
C Rohrhead, Milwaukie	H D W Moore, U S A
Wm Feter, Albany	A H Starkweather, Butte
T Brown	
G G Smith, Eugene	J Morarou, Westport
Dr Poppleton, Lafayette	H J Scherner, Kalama
I B Hatch, Salem	Thos Bell, Westport
M R Hathaway, Lake P	Mrs West
COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL	
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BOUDOIR PROPHECIES

BY JOHN HAY

The [illegible] Tuileries
When a southwest Spanish breeze
Brought some scandalous news of the Queen
[illegible] Empress said
[illegible] tosses her head
[illegible] this way
[illegible] one day
In a cart-Capuchinas

[illegible] she swiftly went
[illegible] face of the Orient
[illegible] Queen sneered "Ah well
[illegible] and prude ma belle
[illegible] hazard a guess
[illegible] playing chess
[illegible] the Carabanchel

[illegible] though not over wise
[illegible] prophecies
For the Boulevart shopmen tell
know the form of stout Isabel,
As she buys her *modes de Paris*
And after Sedan in despair
The Empress proud and fair
Went to visit *Madame* [illegible]
[illegible] Carabanchel—
But the Queen was not there to see
—*Scribner for January*

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

HOW OLD HICKORY RAISED [illegible] FORTY-FOUR YEARS AGO BY PUTTING PEGGY O'NEAL'S HUSBAND IN THE CABINET

From the Cincinnati Gazette]

When General Jackson had been inaugurated President in 1829, he gave the position of Secretary of War to his old friend John Henry Eaton, formerly United States Senator from Tennessee. The selection occasioned a good deal of talk and unfavorable comment from the first, in consequence of the Secretary's wife. Her maiden name was Margaret or Peggy O'Neal. Her father kept a tavern at which many Congressmen boarded. Her conduct was rather free and lively, and she was on good terms with her father's boarders, among others with General Jackson and Senator Eaton. She finally married Purser Timberlake, of the navy. He committed suicide while on duty in the Mediterranean, in 1828. The reactionary gloom of dissipation was the cause ascribed for the deed, though there were not wanting rumors of unpleasant news in regard to the conduct of his wife at home. In January, 1829, the widow married Major Eaton. A few weeks later it was rumored that the bridegroom was to be a Cabinet officer, and the fair aristocracy of the capital were shocked at the idea of being obliged to recognize Peg O'Neal as an equal. The horror was not confined to the ladies. The Rev. Mr. Campbell, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, at which the President attended, thought the matter worthy of interference, but believing it prudent to keep in the background, told the Rev. E. S. Ely of Philadelphia the whole story, and that gentleman undertook to enlighten General Jackson by letter. There were some pretty hard stories against Mrs. Eaton which, if verified, would have shown her to be anything but a prude. The President denied them all, and argued against their credibility in a long reply to Dr. Ely. The latter was not wholly convinced, and rejoined. The President came out with a second letter, and demanded to know Dr. Ely's informants. Campbell's name having been given, he visited the White House, but was put down emphatically by General Jackson, who ceased to attend his church. All that executive influence could do in behalf of the unhappy lady was done, but, after all, few but office-seekers and others who curried presidential favor called upon her. Mrs. Vice-President Calhoun, Mrs. Attorney-General Berrien, and Mrs. Secretary of the Navy Branch took no notice of her. Mrs. Donelson, wife of the President's nephew and mistress of the White House, though forced to receive her, would not visit her. Van Buren, Secretary of State, being a widower, could do the polite without incurring scandal, and he was courteous accordingly. The Foreign Ministers' wives were among the malcontents. The British and Russian Ambassadors, being bachelors, were as free to act the civil part as Van Buren, and were therefore civil to Mrs. Eaton. At a ball and supper given by the British envoy, Van Buren entreated Mrs. Huygens, wife of the Dutch Minister, to allow him to present her to Mrs. Eaton, but in vain. When supper was announced Major Eaton offered to escort Mrs. Huygens to the table. She at first objected, but to avoid a scene walked with him to the supper-room. On reaching the table she found that her chair was placed next that occupied by Mrs. Eaton. She would not sit down, but, taking her husband's arm, left the room and the house. The President was very angry, and threatened to send Huygens from the country. This was only one out of a series of like affronts.

It was not society alone which frowned upon the President's protege. The Cabinet was divided, and though his associates tried to be civil to Major Eaton, the politeness which excluded his wife could not be very sincere. Coldness at last ensued, and having scandalized the lady as much as it could, society began to circulate ugly rumors about her husband's honesty. Next came an open rupture between Eaton and Branch. The President felt bound to interfere, and acted with his characteristic promptness and decision. He compelled the two Secretaries to be reconciled, and soundly rated the other members whose wives had cut Mrs. Eaton. When the General put his foot down he usually had his own way, and he succeeded in a measure this time. Harmony existed for a year or more afteward, but it was a superficial reconciliation. Female sentiment was not changed, and the anti-Eatonians in the Cabinet were treated with coolness by General Jackson. A coolness had been growing up between the President and Calhoun, fomented, it is believed by many, by Van Buren, and a dissolution of the Cabinet finally took place. The Secretary of War was a prominent actor in the movements which preceded the rupture, and no doubt his griefs added zeal to his endeavors.

DAMAGING TESTIMONY AGAINST JUDGE DURELL

CHICAGO, Jan 16.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says:

The testimony taken by the House Judiciary Committee in New Orleans during the recess, regarding Judge Durell, is very damaging to that official. Among the important points of the testimony are the following: In regard to the "midnight order," as it is termed, issued by Durell, by which Mechanics' Institute, the place of meeting of the Legislature, was seized, it came out that the order was issued on Durell's own motion, and without the knowledge of either of the attorneys acting in the matter. In other words Durell made a motion for this order before himself, as Judge, and in the latter capacity issued it. It also appeared that Durell made two orders in regard to one of his familiar friends, for the purpose of throwing the chief business of bankrupt cases into his hands. The first order was directing that in all bankruptcy cases this special friend, named Norton, should be assigned except where the creditors appointed some other person. Lest this appointment of other persons should after a time take the business out of Norton's hands it was further provided in the order that he should act as assignee in all the latter class of cases. When the trouble arose about excessive fees, Durell made another order to the effect that no complaints about fees, or papers looking to procure a remedy for excessive fees should be filed unless $50 was first deposited. This of course, greatly lessened the complaints about the rates fixed by Norton. There is much evidence tending to connect Durell with Norton's excesses, and on this the case for his impeachment will mainly rest.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, January [illegible] 1874

Gold in New York to day, 111⅞.

Portland Legal Tenders buying 90 selling 91

Gold bars are quotable at 925a?0 fine.

Exchange on San Francisco at par

Wheat in Liverpool, by mail advices from San Francisco—Average California, 13s 9d a14s. club 14s@14s 3d

Mail advices from New York to the 17th instant denote a marked improvement in financial affairs, and from the [illegible] but [illegible] not only is an easy market assured, but good authorities predict a [illegible] of currency during the spring, and [illegible] The reserves in the New York city banks [illegible] twenty millions in excess of the corresponding [illegible] last year. These banks which were then [illegible] depleting their resources are now rapidly filling, and there is nothing in the financial outlook to warrant any other belief but an [illegible] and a consequent busy time for merchants. A [illegible] letter of the above date [illegible] from the depression following the panic has been remarkable, thus evincing extraordinary recuperative powers of the country. These influences are doing their work on the Stock Market at the Exchange. There is a spirited speculation with a rising tendency in prices. Speculation in merchandise is also increasing, and markets for leading staples are nearly all very firm. Gold has ruled steady, and without speculative activity on either side. Some of the foreign bankers are short of gold and profess to believe in lower prices, but the general weight of opinion hardly favors the idea that any important decline in gold is to be expected soon. Cash gold is plenty. The revival of trade brings an increased demand for gold for duties. Foreign Exchange has ruled a little higher. Bankers with foreign connections have been the chief buyers, as their gold was so heavy for carrying that exchange offered the best method for temporarily employing it.

Eastern Wool Market.

A late wool circular issued by a New York house contains the following in regard to the future of this staple:

Good lots of these wools are not plenty, and it is probable that full rates will be maintained throughout the season. This is especially the case with foreign wools. During the summer they were neglected by manufacturers and prices gradually settled to a point comparatively lower than the market prices for domestic. At the beginning of the financial troubles the importers feeling that they had no good prospects in the American markets sent many of their most desirable wools abroad, thus very considerably reducing our supplies. From present appearances it would seem that the amount of wool which can be brought on the market from our home resources will be inadequate for the requirements of the machinery in operation, and that within the next few months this deficiency will have to be supplied by importations.

The European markets continue strong in tone and it is not likely that the wools suitable for our manufactures can be brought into competition until domestic fleeces have obtained still higher prices. Our deductions from these facts and considerations are, that the prospects for the next few months favor a good demand with a continuance of present values and the possibility, if not probability, of some further improvement later in the season.

Miscellaneous.

During the eleven months ending Nov. 30th the imports of Wheat into the United Kingdom amounted to about 74 000 000 bushels, including 41 000 000 bushels from the United States and 16 000 000 bushels from Russia. The imports from Russia show a falling off of 50 per cent as compared with the previous year. The value of the Wheat sent from the United States is given at $5 [illegible] 000 or $31 000 000 more than in 1872. The value of the Indian corn sent to the same market during the same interval is $6 000 000, or 100 per cent more than in 1872.

Coffee in New York has further advanced and from the statistical position of the article as represented by the annual statement of the *Shipping List* still higher prices seem altogether probable. From the statement of that paper it appears that the imports of Coffee from all countries into the United States exclusive of States on the Pacific for the year just closed, was 260,127 312 pounds, against imports in 1872 of 277 636 2?8 pounds, and that the consumption in 1873 was 269 188 169 pounds against the consumption in 1872 of 271,718 7?8 pounds, a decrease in consumption in 1873 as compared with 1872, of 271,7[illegible] 758 pounds, a decrease in consumption in 1873 as compared with 1872, of 9?100 of 1 per cent. The consumption of 1873 was a little larger than the whole receipts reducing the stock at all ports to 13 208,000 pounds, a smaller stock than at the close of any previous year that we have record of, with the exception of that left over at the close of 1863, the stock then being but [illegible] 227 700 pounds.

The annual statement of the *Shipping List* makes the receipt into the United States of foreign, unrefined Sugar for the past year, 636 407 tons, and the consumption of this description 502,725 tons against receipts in 1873 of 561 002 tons, and consumption of 567 573 tons. The total consumption of foreign and domestic Cane Sugar in 1873 was 652 025 tons against the total consumption in 1872 of 637 372 tons, being an increase in consumption of foreign of nearly 4½ per cent, and of foreign and domestic of a little over 2¼ per cent.

Private cable reports of the great London January Fur sales shows that dark Beaver realized the high prices of last January, pale Beaver fell 10 per cent below last September prices and Opossum advanced 15 per cent on the prices of the same date.

The number of vessels belonging to or trading with ports of the United States reported totally lost and missing in 1873, reached 918 with an estimated value of $11,703 000 against 834 vessels, valued at $11 097 000 in 1872.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Market very quiet, current rates $1 65 @1 90 ₽ cental, receipts declining.

FLOUR—Large receipts and full stocks in dealers hands, quotable $6 25a6 50 ₽ bbl for best brands, good country and outside brands $5 50a6, super fine $4 75a5 fine $4 50.

OATS—Receipts perceptibly increasing but rates are unchanged from 45@47 cents ₽ bushel.

BARLEY—There is but little offering at the current rate of $1 40a1 45 ₽ cwt in sacks.

FEED—The supply is adequate to the current demand at our former quotations.

HAY—We notice increased receipts and a tendency toward weaker rates. Timothy of good quality, quotable at $12 50@14 ₽ ton. Wild $10.

POTATOES—Diminished receipts of choice varieties have induced higher rates for such, and we now quote best at 40a45 cents ₽ bushel.

APPLES—The supply is well kept up at prices ranging from 40 cents ₽ bushel for loose lots, and 60@75 cents for choice varieties sorted and boxed for shipping.

ONIONS—The demand is dull and but few buyers in the market, quotable $1 40@1 75 ₽ 100 lbs.

DRIED FRUIT—There is some improvement in the demand for Apples, and prices have advanced from ½ to 1 cent ₽ lb. Plums, with pits, are dull at 6 cents, pitless 13@14 cents.

BACON—There is some activity noticed in the market, and prices seem a little firmer without material advance. Sides are quoted at 11 cents ₽ lb. Shoulders 9a10c. Hams 15a16c.

LARD—The demand is fair at 11a11½ cents ₽ lb in kegs, and 13c in tins. The receipts are light.

CHEESE—The supply from State dairies is well kept up for the season and rates are firm at 16 @17 cents ₽ lb.

EGGS—With continued full receipts prices are dull at 30 cents ₽ dozen.

BUTTER—The quantity on the market and prices are dull at 15a20 cents ₽ lb for common lots miscellaneously packed, 22a25c for brine 25a30c for best roll and 30a35c for fancy print.

POULTRY—There is apparently but a limited trade. Prices are well sustained at $3 50@4 ₽ dz for Chickens $4a4 50 for Ducks $9 for Geese $18a19 for Turkeys.

DRESSED HOGS—The demand is fair at 6a6½ cents ₽ lb.

BEEF CATTLE—We note diminished arrivals and a good demand at 3a6 cents ₽ lb on foot.

MUTTON SHEEP—Choice lots sell readily at $3 50 @3 ₽ head.

HIDES—All offers are readily taken at 11a15 cents ₽ lb for choice dry, 7c for green salted and 6a6½c green.

TALLOW—We quote at 6a7 cents ₽ lb.

WOOL—The receipts are very light, holders generally expecting an advance on present rates which range from 11 cents ₽ lb for common lots to 21a25 for choice fine long staple.

San Francisco Markets

BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27.—Flour—Extra selling at $6 75a7.

Wheat—Quotable at $2 25 for good shipping grades. 500 tons shipped to England by way of Panama this morning.

Barley—Feed qualities $1 55a1 45, brewing, $1 50 @1 60

Oats—Extremes are $1 50a1 90.

Hay—$13a17.

Potatoes—Tolerably firm at 90ca$1.16 for Salinas and Bodega, and $1 10a1 20 for Humboldt.

Shipping Intelligence

The Oriflamme sailed this evening for San Francisco with passengers and freight.

The Ajax sailed from San Francisco to day for Portland.

The bark Bachelor started down the river this morning in tow of the Shoo Fly, having finished her cargo of grain.

The bark City of Lima is at the Gas Co's wharf discharging ballast.

The schooners Hera, Oregonian, and bark Melancthon are all on the way here from San Francisco with full assorted cargoes.

The bark Rival will go down the river to day.

On the 23d inst., the British bark Loch Dee cleared for Queenstown with 21 [illegible] centals of wheat valued at $43 364.

On the 24th inst, the British ship Akbar cleared for Queenstown for orders with 25,740 centals wheat valued at $51 481.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 27.—Sailed—Ship John Bright, Antwerp.

Cleared—Ajax, Astoria; Montgomery Castle, Liverpool; Prince of Wales, Cork; Melancthon, Astoria; Bronte, Port Townsend; Hazard, Astoria.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, January [illegible]

Ophir	11	Baltimore	[illegible]
Gould & Curry	[illegible]	Utah	[illegible]
B & B	20	California	40
Savage	[illegible]	Silver Hill	[illegible]
H & N	[illegible]	Eclipse	[illegible]
Chollar	71	Dayton	[illegible]
Flint	[illegible]	Rock Island	[illegible]
Jacket	88	Trenton	[illegible]
Imperial	[illegible]	N Y Con	[illegible]
Empire	[illegible]	American Flat	[illegible]
Kentuck	[illegible]	Senator	[illegible]
Alpha	70	Tyler	[illegible]
Belcher	11	Union Con	[illegible]
Confidence	[illegible]	Sutro	[illegible]
Con Virginia	[illegible]	Woodville	2
Sierra Nevada	[illegible]	Franklin	2
Daney	4	Nevada	[illegible]
Exchequer	2	Alamo	[illegible]
Segregated Belcher	120	Lady Washington	[illegible]
Overman	108	Sep. Rock Island	[illegible]
Justice	[illegible]	Jake Little	4
Succor	[illegible]	Kossuth	5¾
Buckeye	[illegible]	Leo	70c
Caledonia	[illegible]	Andes	[illegible]
Julia	[illegible]	Independent Ohio	[illegible]
Knickerbocker	6	South Star	[illegible]
Arizona & Utah	2	Dexter	[illegible]
Globe	[illegible]		

EVENING BOARD

Meadow Valley	12¼	Eureka Grass Valley	12½
Raymond & Ely	30	St Patrick	7
Eureka Con	11½	Independent	11¼
Pioche	6	N Chariot	11½
W & C	1¼	Elmore	2
P & P	1¼	Mahogany	8¾
Flag	1¾	S Chariot	11
H & H	1½	War Eagle	[illegible]
Belmont	[illegible]	O H Treasure	4½
Chief Hill	1	Savage	117¼
Newark	1	Ophir	47¼
Monitor Belmont	¾	Flint	109
Rye Patch	8	Hale & N	72
Eldorado	5½	Belcher	110¼
Watson	5¼	California	12
Hayes	75c	Chollar	74

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The Self-Acting

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An article long needed by the public, have just been received from the East by

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They will keep only the best and sell at LOWEST PRICES.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Thomas Ryan bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Assignee in Bankruptcy of the estate of Thomas Ryan bankrupt will sell at public auction at A. B. Richardson's Auction Room on Saturday, January 31 1874, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. o'clock to the highest bidder for cash, U. S. gold coin in hand paid day of sale. Lot two (2) in Block B of the Portland Homestead Association, Multnomah county, Oregon. Deed to be at the expense of the purchaser.

JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING BETWEEN the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be conducted by W. F. WALKER at the old stand to whom all debts must be paid and will assume all liabilities of the late firm.

W. F. WALKER
WM. FULTON

Portland, Jan 19 1874. jan20d1t

NOTICE.

ACTING BY AND UNDER AUTHORITY OF the State of Oregon, I hereby give notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to JAMES C. VAN RENSSELAER that they make payment of such debts to me at my place of business, Front street, within sixty Days from this date, and that all claims against said Van Rensselaer must be presented to me forthwith at the same place.

[illegible] SCHUYLER

Portland, Oregon, January [illegible] 1874. jan [illegible] dim [illegible]

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Association of Portland, Oregon will be held at Odd Fellows' Temple, corner First and Alder streets, in the city of Portland, on Tuesday, the third day of February, A. D. 1874, at 3 o'clock P. M. By order.

WARD S. STEVENS, Secretary

Portland, Jan. 2, 1874.

NOTICE.

PERSONS RESIDING IN PORTLAND WHO PAY Taxes in Washington County can meet me at the Occidental Hotel in the city of Portland, Jan. 29th 1874, to pay the same.

CHAS. T. TOZIER,
Sheriff of Washington Co., Ogn

jan22d6t

BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept, subject to Check at sight.

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

INTEREST FROM DATE paid on Coin Time Deposits.

Coin & Currency Exchange

(Sight and Telegraphic) for sale on

SAN FRANCISCO   NEW YORK
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Bills of Exchange,

Drawn in the usual way, for any sum desired, on

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FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF PORTLAND.

Designated Depositary and Financial Agent United States.

President   HENRY FAILING
Cashier   JAMES STEEL

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LETTERS OF CREDIT issued available in the Atlantic Cities.

SIGHT EXCHANGE AND TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFERS payable in Coin or Currency for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS.

SIGHT or FIXTY DAY BILLS drawn in sums to suit, direct on LONDON, BERLIN, PARIS, FRANKFORT ON THE MAIN.

SAVINGS. SAVINGS.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF PORTLAND.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.

THIS BANK HAS ESTABLISHED IN CONNECtion with the general Banking business a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT and will allow Interest on Coin Deposits made in accordance with the conditions adopted by the Association.

In establishing a SAVINGS DEPARTMENT, this Banking Association has in view the benefits to accrue to a class of persons having small sums to loan by providing a safe place of deposit, ample security and fair rate of interest, as well as to aggregate and bring into use idle capital.

For the safety of deposits in this Bank are pledged its entire capital and resources, and also the personal liability of its Directors and Stockholders as provided by Section 12 of the National Currency Act approved June 3 1864, a greater security than that given by ordinary Savings Banks. Printed copies of the conditions upon which deposits are received may be had upon application at the Bank.

HENRY FAILING, President.
JAMES STEEL, Cashier

Directors:
HENRY FAILING,   HENRY W. CORBETT,
L. H. WAKEFIELD,   JOSIAH FAILING,
JAMES STEEL

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NORTHUP & GILBERT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

Room No. 5, Dekum's Building
Corner of Washington and First Streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON

W. H. EFFINGER,
Attorney-at-Law,

OFFICE—Corbett's Building First street.

CHAS. A. BALL   RALEIGH STOTT

BALL & STOTT,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.

ROOM—DEKUM'S BUILDING
Corner of First and Washington Streets, Portland.

GEO. H. DURHAM   W. Y. THOMPSON

DURHAM & THOMPSON,
Attorneys-at-Law.

109 First street, opposite Occidental Hotel, Portland.

E. D. SHATTUCK   E. KILLIN

SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW;

ROOM 1—Dekum's Building, Northwest corner of Washington and First streets.

A. C. GIBBS, L. [illegible] Dist. Atty.   F. G. HUGHES

GIBBS & HUGHES,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,

Room No. 1, Dekum's Building

REMOVAL.

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,
Attorneys at Law

HAVE REMOVED FROM ODD FELLOWS Temple to Rooms Nos. [illegible] and [illegible] Dekum's Building, corner First and Ash Street, Portland.

THOS. J. DRYER.
Justice of the Peace.

OFFICE—Front Street, between B and C.

F. A. CHENOWETH,
Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Y. Cooke retiring. The business will hereafter be conducted by Messrs. Clarke & Henderson, who will pay all bills against the late firm and to whom all outstanding accounts due the late firm of Clarke, Henderson & Cooke [illegible].

GEO. H. CLARKE
M. W. HENDERSON
Y. COOKE

Dated Jan 1 1874. jan13

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

JOHN B. PILKINGTON, M. D.
OCULIST AND AURIST.

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Office Hours—10 to 12, 3 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

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Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of Wm. T. Gillihan bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Assignee in Bankruptcy of the estate of Wm. T. Gillihan bankrupt, will sell at Public Auction at the Court House door in the City of Portland, Oregon, on Thursday the 5th day of February A. D. 1874, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. to the highest bidder for cash (gold coin) in hand paid on day of sale all those certain pieces, parcels or lots of land described as follows to wit: Lots No. three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6) and seven (7) in Block No. three hundred and fifteen (315) in the City of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon. Fractional Block No. three hundred and twenty-four (324) in the City of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon. Lots No. three (3) and four (4) in Block No. three hundred and twenty three (323) in the City of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon.

Block No. three hundred and seventeen (317) in the City of East Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.

Block No. three hundred and twenty (320) in the City of East Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.

Lots No. one (1) and two (2) in Block No. forty-three (43) in South Seattle, Kings county, Washington Territory.

Lots No. one (1), two (2) and eleven (11) in Block No. twenty eight (28) in South Seattle, King county, Washington Territory.

The southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), Township six (6) North Range two (2) west of the Willamette Meridian containing one hundred and sixty acres (160) situate and being in Columbia county, State of Oregon.

The northeast quarter of section thirty one (31), Township six (6) North Range thirty five east of the Willamette Meridian containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres situate and being in Umatilla county in the State of Oregon.

The south half of section thirty six (36) in Township eight North of Range five (5) west of the Willamette Meridian containing three hundred and three [illegible] acres situate lying and being in Columbia county, State of Oregon.

Lots three (3), four (4), seven (7) and eight (8) and the northwest one fourth of the northwest one fourth of section thirty six (36) in Township eight (8) North Range five (5) west of the Willamette Meridian containing ninety five and 2 100 (95 2-100) acres situate and being in Columbia county, State of Oregon.

The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section No thirty four (34) in Township No twenty (20) North of Range No three (3) west, containing forty (40) acres, situate and being in — Washington Territory.

Deeds to be at the expense of the purchasers.

HAMILTON BOYD, Assignee
in Bankruptcy of Wm. T. Gillihan bankrupt.

Portland, Oregon, Jan 9 1874. td

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the district of Oregon. In the matter of Charles Mealey bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Assignee in Bankruptcy of the estate of Charles Mealey bankrupt will sell at Public Auction at the Court House door in the City of Albany, in the County of Linn, State of Oregon, on Tuesday, the 27th day of January 1874, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. to the highest bidder for cash (gold coin) all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land described as follows to wit:

Lot No. five (5) in Block No. Seventeen (17) in Albany, in the County of Linn, State of Oregon, subject to a mortgage of $[illegible] U. S. coin, with interest at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from November [illegible] 1870, less payments thereon to the amount of $[illegible].

Also Lot No. One (1) in Block No. Eight (8) in Albany, Linn county, Oregon, subject to a mortgage of $[illegible] with interest at the rate of [illegible] per cent per annum and upon which there is now due principal and interest about $[illegible].

Both the above described lots are also subject to a junior mortgage of $[illegible] in U. S. coin and interest at the rate of [illegible] per cent per month. Amount now due [illegible].

All said real property will be sold subject to all said incumbrances.

Deeds to be at the expense of purchasers.

D. M. THOMPSON, Assignee
In Bankruptcy of Charles Mealey, bankrupt.

Albany, Oregon, Jan [illegible] 1874. jan [illegible] td

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of C. B. Comstock & Co. and C. B. Comstock and J. F. Seagun, bankrupt. [illegible] J. F. Seagun of the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon in said District who have been duly adjudged bankrupts [illegible] Oregon, [illegible]

THOMAS C. YOUNG
[illegible]

jan [illegible]

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. [illegible] Yamhill county [illegible] State of Oregon [illegible] District Court of said District.

GEO. T. MYERS, Assignee

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of [illegible] bankrupt. I hereby give notice that the [illegible] meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1874 at [illegible] o'clock A. M. at the office of H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d 1867.

JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee

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MARKETS.

CITY MARKET, Stalls No. 25 & 26.

C. R. HOFFMAN,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Beef, Pork, Veal and Mutton.

Sausage, Head Cheese, Tripe, and

CORNED MEATS.

All those indebted to the above will please make immediate settlement [illegible] collection.

REMOVAL—ENLARGED.

REID & VESTAL, CENTRAL MARKET,

(Formerly of Stalls 22 and 23) now occupy Stalls Nos. 8, 9 and 10.

INCREASED FACILITIES for DISPLAY.

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FRANKLIN MARKET,

Has removed to his Old Stand cor. First and Taylor streets where he will be happy to see his old customers or any other man.

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N. B.—Messrs. KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., Commission Merchants, Portland, Oregon, are my duly authorized Agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Orders sent through them by telegraph or otherwise will be filled at same rates as if sent to me direct.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

French Brig "Duc de Lorges."

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF Portland deeming it necessary to improve the channel of the Willamette River within the limits of the city by the removal of the remains or wreck of the French Brig, "Duc de Lorges," sunk in said channel and an obstruction therein:

All persons interested or claiming any interest in said Brig, are hereby notified to come forward and claim the same and cause the removal thereof within thirty days from the date hereof or the same will be removed at the expense of the property.

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Portland, Jan 16, 1874. jan17d1?d

Ordinance No. 1,427.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT for the improvement of a portion of Market Street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for receive proposals and enter into contract for the improvement of that portion of Market street lying between the centre of East Park street and the centre of West Park street, by grading and laying sidewalks and crosswalks.

Section 2. The work to be done and the materials furnished shall correspond with the provisions and restrictions contained in sections No. 6, 7 and 8 of Ordinance No. [illegible] entitled "An Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets," and shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets, on or before the first day of March, 1874.

Passed the Common Council January 14 1874.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Jan 16 1874.

HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

jan [illegible] d [illegible]

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Thomas Ryan bankrupt. I hereby give notice that the final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District on the 11th day of February A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the office of H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purposes named in the twenty-seventh section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d 1867. I also give notice that I will then file my final account as Assignee of said estate in said Court and that on the 11th day of February A. D. 1874 I shall apply to said Court for a settlement of my said account and for a discharge from all liability as Assignee of said estate, in accordance with provisions of the twenty-eighth section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d 1867.

JOSEPH BACHMAN,
Assignee

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT. In Bankruptcy. District of Oregon, ss. At the City of Portland the [illegible] day of January A. D. 1874. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. B. Harker of the town of Dayton, in the county of Yamhill and State of Oregon, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition by the District Court of said District.

E. GOLDSMITH,
Assignee

jan [illegible] Haw4w

G. W. VAUGHN,

OFFICE IN BRICK CORNER OF FRONT AND Morrison streets, Room No. 2. Entrance on Morrison street.

d10tf   GEO. E. GILBERT, Agent.

MEDICAL.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE.

NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!

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623 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR COMMERCIAL, San Francisco. Established in 1854 for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases such as Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc. Skin Diseases (of years standing) and Ulcerated Legs successfully treated.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing that he has returned from visiting the principal Hospitals of Europe and has resumed practice at his Dispensary 623 Kearney street, corner of Commercial, San Francisco, where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor money in seeking out new remedies and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons both male and female are there who are suffering out a miserable existence from the effects of secret indulgences, or from virus absorbed into the system! Look at their pallid emaciated and disfigured faces and their broken down constitutions, disqualifying them for the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment of life. In this horrid situation thousands suffer until death closes the scene. Let parents, guardians, friends attend to those who are suffering with any of these horrible life-destroying maladies—see that they are cared for and cured before it be too late. Send them immediately to DR. GIBBON, a physician who has made private diseases his especial study for years, and who is certain to cure the most inveterate case, without mercury or any injurious drugs. It is important to those who are afflicted or to those who are interested in the welfare of their friends to be aware of the many pretended doctors who infest [illegible] boasting their skill in curing all diseases in a few days, imposing upon the public by using the names of eminent physicians from Europe and other places. Be therefore careful and make strict inquiry or you may fall into the hands of those charlatans.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions, the consequence of self abuse. This solitary vice or depraved sexual indulgence, is practiced by the youth of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent, producing with unerring certainty, the following train of morbid symptoms, unless combated by scientific medical measures, viz. Sallow countenance, dark spots under the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots, uneasiness about the loins, weakness of the limbs, confused vision, blunted intellect, loss of confidence, diffidence in approaching strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintances, disposition to shun society, loss of memory, hectic flushes, pimples and various eruptions about the face, furred tongue, fetid breath, coughs, consumption, night sweats, monomania and frequent insanity. If relief be not obtained should apply immediately either in person or by letter and have a cure effected by his new and scientific mode of treating this disease, which never fails of effecting a quick and radical cure. Dr. G. will give One Hundred Dollars to any person who will prove satisfactorily to him that he was cured of this complaint by either of the San Francisco quacks.

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate marriage, who are suffering under any of these fearful maladies should not forget the sacred responsibility resting upon them, nor delay to obtain immediate relief.

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[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

High Water in New York.

[illegible] The most [illegible] has occurred at [illegible] The lower [illegible] was complete [illegible] thirty famil[illegible] many more [illegible] morning [illegible] in to the [illegible] their houses [illegible] were [illegible] members [illegible] household [illegible] The damage [illegible]

The New Chief-Justice.

[illegible] Waite to-day [illegible] mention [illegible] which a [illegible] members [illegible] Committee [illegible] Campbell are [illegible]

Arrest of the Pastor of Trinity Ch[illegible]

[illegible] Mueser [illegible] arrested to-day and [illegible] a number of [illegible] and in the [illegible]

Report from the [illegible]

[illegible] Wyman has [illegible]

Woman Suffrage in [illegible]

[illegible] Jan 27.—[illegible] defeated the [illegible]

WASHINGTON [illegible]

Congressional.

[illegible] Jan 27.—[illegible] discussed the subject of [illegible] and also [illegible] Page, of Cal[illegible] Washington Territory [illegible] the Territories [illegible] introduced a bill [illegible] money [illegible]

BY ATLANTIC CABLE

Death of Dr. Livingstone [illegible]

[illegible] a letter to Mr. Hunt [illegible] this date differs from [illegible] but all doubt have [illegible] a dispatch received by [illegible] which [illegible] died in Lobisa.

PACIFIC COAST [illegible]

WASHINGTON TERR[illegible]

[illegible] Jan 27.—The Indian [illegible] writing under date of [illegible] somewhere [illegible] down north of Canyon [illegible] to-night.—[illegible]

NAPOLEON BONAPARTE AND [illegible] STAEL

From their first introduction [illegible] liked Bo[illegible] ... [illegible]

If [illegible] speech [illegible] "to [illegible] will be [illegible] what is [illegible] she answered [illegible] Their [illegible] tions were [illegible] had been [illegible] for the [illegible] she had [illegible] letters of excuse [illegible] person [illegible] not one [illegible] could [illegible] equently [illegible] a [illegible] Paris [illegible] Fouche [illegible] that Na[illegible] suspected [illegible] that [illegible] A short [illegible] afterwards [illegible] quit Paris and not to reside within [illegible] leagues of it. In vain did Joseph Bona[illegible] whom she frequently visited and with [illegible] she passed the last few [illegible] of her [illegible] residence, intercede for her. The C[illegible] immovable. No greater punishment co[illegible] imposed upon her than banishment fr[illegible] beloved Paris, and within the prescribe[illegible] she wandered from village to villa[illegible] thoughts ever turned to the one spot w[illegible] same melancholy longing that Adam [illegible] have felt when looking back on Par[illegible] *Temple Bar*

TOM CORWIN

Mr. Corwin told an anecdote with [illegible] than any of his cotemporaries [illegible] witty, full of humor and never failed [illegible] His onslaught upon General C[illegible] Michigan who had made a bitter att[illegible] General Harrison in the House of Rep[illegible] tives soon after his nomination at Harr[illegible] will never be forgotten by those who [illegible] or who read the admirable report of the [illegible] made by reporter Stansberry and pub[illegible] in the *National Intelligencer*. Crary wa[illegible] of considerable ability and well esteem[illegible] the House but he was so utterly demol[illegible] by Corwin's assault that he soon after [illegible] to private life whence he never e[illegible] And when Mr. Adams alluded to him [illegible] late Mr. Crary, the quiet sarcasm co[illegible] the House. The story told by Mr. Cor[illegible] President Van Buren's dinner party [illegible] to the banter of Mr. Jenifer of Maryl[illegible] which the old man living in Ohio trus[illegible]